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### AROUND WORLD FLIGHT LEADER STILL MISSING

Three Other Planes Are to  
Continue Flight Without  
Major Martin

### OTHER NATIONS IN RACE

UP to the time the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL went to press this week no news had been received as to the whereabouts of Maj. Frederick L. Martin, Air Ser., U.S.A., the missing leader of the Air Squadron making an around-the-world flight.

The commanding officer of the Patrol Force at Dutch Harbor, Alaska, reported to the War Department May 7 in a dispatch dated May 4 that the Bering Sea coast had been searched by natives with dog teams between Port Moller and Port Heiden for Maj. Martin without results. Natives also were sent north of Heiden, he said, but found no trace of the missing plane.

The other three planes of the squadron remain at Atka Island, preparing for their departure to Atee Island on the extreme end of the Aleutians, the last scheduled stop on this side of the globe during last week. They were to have taken off last Tuesday, but unfavorable weather delayed them.

Lt. Lowell H. Smith, U.S.A., pilot of the Chicago, has been in command of the globe flight during the absence of Maj. Martin, and he received orders from the War Department for the flight to continue, while Army, Navy and civilian agencies bent every effort toward the rescue of the missing flyer.

Attention has been focused to such an extent upon the disappearance of Maj. Martin that the fact of the participation of three other nations in around-the-world flights has been almost ignored. A British plane, piloted by A. S. N. MacLaren, has already flown from London to near Delhi, India, having covered over 5,000 miles.

Lt. d'Oisy has flown from Paris to the vicinity of Bagdad and is now en route to Krachi.

Two Portuguese aviators, en route from Lisbon, are reported in the vicinity of Bagdad.

The French and Portuguese are ostensibly limiting their flights to the Orient, but it is understood that if opportunity offers to complete the flight around the world and arrive safely before either the American or British entries have done so, they will push on.

### U.S. LIGHT CRUISERS GIVEN REASSIGNMENTS

THE office of Naval Operations, Navy Department, announces under date of May 3 that, effective June 15, the light cruisers of the first line, other than the Omaha, are re-assigned as follows:

With Scouting Fleet, two divisions of four ships each, with the Richmond as flagship.

Light cruiser divisions—Division 2: Richmond (flagship), Milwaukee, Cincinnati and Trenton. Division 3: Marblehead (flagship), Detroit, Raleigh and Memphis.

The Concord is assigned as flagship of the Destroyer Squadrons, Scouting Fleet.

### NATIONAL POLICY MUST CORRECT SOME MAJOR DEFECTS OF FLEET, DECLARES ADM. COONTZ

"THE material condition of the fleet is not as good as it should be," says Adm. Robert E. Coontz, U.S.N., commander-in-chief of the U.S. Fleet, in a report to the Navy Department dated at sea March 3, 1924, and the principal portions of which appeared in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of May 3. "The defects may be looked at from several points of view," says the admiral in part. "There are a number of major defects which can be corrected only by a correction of national policy, which must be worked for. There is in the fleet what may be called a deferred maintenance resulting from a failure to keep the ships properly repaired and up to date in beneficial alterations. This is partly due directly to insufficient appropriations and partly due to a high overhead expense at navy yards, which uses up the money available without putting a sufficient proportion into ships.

"There are some instances of faulty design and there are some defects probably due to faulty administration. The commander-in-chief does not believe that the ships have been getting their fair share of overhaul time. Operation of the ships must be extensive when there is so much personnel to be trained, but when skilled personnel is short, as it has been, there should be allowed ample time for the inadequate personnel to accomplish the upkeep." The admiral takes up in detail the deficiencies shown in all classes of ships, and also the radio equipment.

### REPRESENTATIVE BRITTEN WANTS NEW BILL LIMITING NAVY STAFF

AT the close of a very stormy hearing upon the bill for the equalization of promotion between the line and staff of the Navy before the House Committee on Naval Affairs, at which Comdr. S. J. Ziegler, jr., made an attack on the bill along the lines of his circular, Representative Britten made a request that the Judge Advocate General of the Navy prepare a new bill which would make some drastic limitations on the number of officers in the higher grades of the staff. Mr. Britten continues his active opposition to the department bill, insisting that there are too many high ranking officers in the staff corps. He directed that the Judge Advocate General should draw up a bill which would abolish the percentage in grade of the staff corps and only provide officers for what he claims are the duty of the staff.

On the following day, May 7, the Judge Advocate General submitted a bill which was introduced immediately by Mr. Britten. It provides that the following shall be the total of officers in the staff corps: Medical Corps, one officer with the rank of rear admiral, thirty with rank of captain, and sixty with rank of commander.

Supply Corps, one officer with rank of rear admiral, twenty-six with rank of captain, forty with rank of commander.

Chaplains, four with rank of captain and six with rank of commander.

Construction Corps, one with rank of rear admiral, sixteen with rank of captain, and thirty with rank of commander.

Civil Engineer, one with rank of rear admiral, four with rank of captain and fourteen with rank of commander.

The bill provides that on and after the date of the approval of the act no officer of any of the aforesaid staff corps above the rank of lieutenant commander shall be advanced to a higher rank unless the number of officers in his corps of a higher rank shall be less than the number fixed by this act. There is a provision that no officer now in the Navy shall be reduced in rank or deprived of his commission by reason of this act. It is further provided that this act shall not be construed as repealing Secs. 1506 and 1507 of the Revised Statutes.

It will be observed that this bill would eventually reduce the number of officers in the staff corps and would have a very disastrous effect upon the flow of promotion in the corps. It would fall the heaviest

on the Medical Corps, making a reduction of five in the number of rear admirals, nineteen in the number of captains and twenty in the number of commanders. The Supply Corps would also be hit very hard, reducing the number of rear admirals by six and the number of commanders by six. The Construction Corps, from which the chief opposition comes to the Department's bill, would lose seven captains and nine commanders. The Civil Engineer Corps would lose one captain and one commander. The total loss to the staff corps will be seventy-four officers, of whom forty-four would come from the Medical Corps, twelve from the Supply Corps, sixteen from the Construction Corps and two from the Civil Engineer Corps. A drive will be made against the Construction Corps, because it is claimed that with the limitation on the number of battleships there will be less use for constructors than under the program of 1916.

The promptness with which the Judge Advocate General furnished the draft for the Britten bill is taken as an indication that there must have been previous conferences between Mr. Britten and the officers in the Judge Advocate General's Department.

In the course of his hearing Adm. Potter said:

"This bill is expressly designed to promote contentment in the Navy by a plan of contemporary promotion. This is the bill that, so nearly as possible, will effect what the chairman referred to a few minutes ago. That is, the passage of this bill will equalize opportunity. And this is the only plan yet conceived of that will bring about this end.

"By the act of Aug. 29, 1916, and by certain supplementary acts, far-reaching changes were made in regard to the laws governing the promotion of naval personnel. The more important of these changes may be stated briefly as follows: First, the establishment of the number of officers of the line of the Navy at a certain percentage of an authorized strength of the enlisted personnel, and, correspondingly, the establishment of the several staff corps of the Navy at certain percentages of the strength of the line officers of the Navy; second, the establishment within the line of the Navy and within each staff corps of a certain ratio of the different ranks to

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### DISABLED EMERGENCY OFFICERS BILL URGED

House Committee Reports  
Favorably Measure to  
Retire Them

### ACT WOULD BENEFIT 1,018

A REPORT strongly urging the passage of the bill (H.R. 6484) providing retirement for disabled emergency officers was made to the House from the World War Veterans' Committee on May 6. A similar bill by Senator Bursum was reported to the Senate some time ago. According to the report, 1,018 emergency officers would be benefited by the bill, and the net annual cost would be \$618,036. Only those who have incurred physical disabilities in line of duty would be eligible for retirement under the act. In the course of the report it is stated:

"This bill eliminates certain objections made to former bills and provides retirement pay of 75 per cent. of the compensation paid before discharge to emergency officers of the Army who have incurred a permanent disability of 30 per cent. or more.

"The passage of this bill will end the discrimination which has existed since the act of June 4, 1920 (modified by the act of July 12, 1921), in favor of emergency officers of the Navy and Marine Corps over the emergency officers of the Army.

"The number to be benefited by this act was estimated by the Director of the Veterans' Bureau to be 1,018 as of Dec. 31, 1923, and the increased annual cost to the Government, based upon the figures of the Veterans' Bureau, is \$618,036, being the difference between the amount to be paid under this bill, \$1,644,516, and the amount the 1,018 are now receiving as compensation, \$1,026,480.

"This cost will be diminished rapidly because of the high mortality rate, some deaths having occurred since the figures were furnished.

"There was some testimony that in addition to the 1,018, possibly some 500 or 600, others might be at some time eligible to benefit in some measure by the act.

"It appears that the majority of the officers of the Regular Army now receiving the benefits of the present retirement law because of battle casualties in the late war were provisional officers taken from civil life and scarcely entitled to marked favoritism over their fellows.

"This bill gives to the emergency officers the privileges of those now on the retired list; that is, to use the title of their rank, to wear the uniform, to medical treatment at Army hospitals, to purchase supplies at Army sales, etc.

"The administration of this act is committed to the Veterans' Bureau, which will determine and make payment to those entitled to its benefits, conditioned upon application being made within one year.

"This provision meets an objection of the War Department, which has never favored the idea of this act.

"A list will be furnished for and published in the Army Register."

### TRANSFERS IN NAVY

THE following transfers of chief pharmacists, U.S.N., have been made: Robert Martin, from navy yard, Washington, D.C., to navy yard, Norfolk, Va.; S. W. Douglass, from Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., to navy yard, Washington, D.C.; J. H. Schrieter, from navy yard, Norfolk, Va., to Naval Academy.



## COMPTROLLER FLAYED IN HOUSE COMMITTEE

### Madden Measure Increasing His Power Meets with Strong Opposition

#### DALLINGER BILL NEXT

IF the House Committee on Judiciary had acted after the first day's hearings the Dallinger bill (H.R. 7621) giving the Attorney General power to review the Comptroller General's decisions would have been reported favorably to the House. In the stormy hearing which was given Chairman Madden last week on his bill (H.R. 4875) making the Comptroller General the paymaster of the general government the Comptroller did not seem to have a friend on the Judiciary Committee. It is doubtful whether Chairman Madden has ever been handled quite so roughly as he was while he was attempting to defend his bill and the Comptroller General.

The picture of Mr. McCarl as guardian angel of the United States Treasury, as painted by Mr. Madden, did not appeal to the members of the committee. Even Chairman Graham, who is a close personal friend of Mr. Madden, joined in a rapid fire of cross-questions which were trained on the chairman of the Appropriations Committee. It was apparent that Mr. Madden's bill and the policy of the Comptroller General outraged Chairman Graham's sense of justice. Mr. Graham is a distinguished lawyer and the attitude that the Comptroller General has assumed toward the decisions of the courts was naturally resented by Judge Graham, as well as the other members of the Judiciary Committee, most of whom are lawyers of standing.

#### MR. MADDEN SPEAKS

Mr. Madden was accompanied by Comptroller General McCarl, and members of the committee were frequently talking more for the benefit of the Comptroller General than for Mr. Madden, who was supposed to be before the committee. Mr. McCarl will be given a hearing in a week or so, after which it is expected the committee will take action on the Dallinger bill.

Mr. Madden began by reading a formal statement in which is set forth that the office of the Comptroller General had been created as an agent of Congress. He claimed that he was given authority to protect the United States Treasury. Chairman Madden argued that the Comptroller General needed the power that had been conferred on him to protect the Treasury and called attention to what he said was payment by the War Department in the violation of law on March 21, in which there was over-payment of a railroad claim of \$7,000.

When cross-questioned as to the mistakes the Comptroller General had made, he admitted that he might have made some, but claimed that he had saved millions of dollars for the Government by his decisions.

Mr. Madden, at the conclusion of his stormy session, suggested that the Comptroller General be allowed to testify. But Chairman Graham announced Mr. Dallinger as the next witness, as there were two bills before the committee, one of which was introduced by the member from Massachusetts.

#### CONSTITUTION BROUGHT IN

Mr. Dallinger began by calling Mr. Madden's attention to the fact that we are living under a constitutional government. He declared that the Madden bill was based on the assumption that we are living under a parliamentary form of government. Under a parliamentary form of government Mr. Madden's bill might be in order, but under a constitutional government the Attorney General should construe the statutes, subject only to the decisions of the courts. Congress cannot assume both to make and to construe the laws, as is proposed in the Madden bill.

As he is conducting his office now, Mr. Dallinger described the Comptroller as a dictator. Under the authority that he is assuming, the Executive departments will practically cease to function. Mr.

Madden's bill, it is argued, would give the Comptroller General authority to stop the salaries of Congressmen as well as of Army and Navy officers.

Not only were the War and Navy Departments represented in the witnesses who supported the Dallinger bill and opposed the Madden bill, but the Treasury Department, the Shipping Board and a number of experts representing concerns which were compelled to do business with the government.

Col. Delano Hine of the Quartermaster Officers' Reserve Corps, a railway and organization expert of New York city, appeared as one interested in scientific and economical government. Col. Hine is a graduate of West Point and was naturally interested in the cause of the Army.

In the course of a well prepared paper on the subject Col. Hine said:

"The United States of America, be it remembered, is based on division of power. The Executive has a responsibility to the individual stockholders, the people at large, prior to that which he owes to the board of directors, the legislative body. A comptroller general can be a constitutional officer in Great Britain. The powers now sought to be exercised by the Comptroller General are inconsistent with sound American policy, and perhaps the Supreme Court would declare such power unconstitutional."

#### TREASURY HEARD

The Treasury Department was represented by Mr. Kenzie Moss, Assistant Secretary, who protested as violently against the Comptroller General's assumption of power over the Treasury Department as did the representatives of the War and Navy Departments. He went on to describe how the activities of the Comptroller General were interfering with the administration of the Treasury Department. He cited cases where the Secretary of the Treasury had allowed claims and the Comptroller General disallowed them. He thought that the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Mellon, should be allowed to assume the responsibility of administering the department.

Thomas Lack, Assistant Solicitor of the Treasury, was a very interesting witness, declaring that the passage of the Madden bill would result in the "establishment of a super-department of the government. With all respects to Congress, I submit that the legislative branch of the government cannot assume the executive functions of the President and the heads of the departments."

Col. John A. Hull of the Judge Advocate General's Department represented the War Department. He declared that his only client was the United States, and for twenty-five years he had been speaking only as a public servant. He argued that Congress cannot appoint an agent with authority to exercise unconstitutional power. Col. Hull at considerable length went into the difficulties of the War Department in attempting to administer the affairs of the Army under the Comptroller's decisions, calling attention to numerous decisions of the Comptroller General that have been reversed by the courts.

#### LEGAL ANALYSIS

Comdr. C. M. Austin, Assistant Judge Advocate General of the Navy, devoted most of his time to a legal analysis of the Madden bill. He showed how the Madden bill attempted to confer jurisdiction upon the Comptroller General to repeal statutes which granted certain powers to the departments. It would even go so far as to suspend a judgment against the United States Supreme Court. Such legislation, on the face of it, it was argued by Comdr. Austin, was unconstitutional.

At the next meeting of the committee not only Comptroller McCarl, but representatives of the Department of Justice will be heard. It is possible that the new Attorney General will attend the hearing, as it was said he is deeply interested in the proposed legislation. At least the Solicitor General will be present.

## 149TH ANNIVERSARY QUARTERMASTER CORPS

PLANS are being formulated to celebrate on June 16, 1924, at all posts and stations and department and corps area headquarters, wherever quartermasters are on duty, either Regular, Reserve, National Guard or warrant officers, enlisted and civilian personnel, the 149th anniversary of the Quartermaster Corps.

## 9th CORPS OFFICERS TO TRAINING CAMPS

### Orders Are Issued Covering Summer Duty with the Reserve

#### DETAILED AS INSTRUCTORS

THE following officers are detailed for temporary duty as instructors, and as assistants to camp commanders, in the 9th Corps Area, at the 1924 summer training camps:

a. For temporary duty with the Organized Reserve and Citizens' Military Training Camps:

(1) To Camp Lewis, Wash.: From Portland, Ore.—Cols. P. Whitworth, Inf., F. T. Arnold, Cav., Lt. Col. W. C. Webb, F.A., Maj. G. W. C. Whitworth, Inf., T. W. Burnett, M.C., A. S. Peake, Inf., all June 12-Aug. 12; Maj. L. Felker, U.S.A., retired, June 16-July 18; 1st Lt. V. Painter, Q.M.C., June 12-Aug. 12.

From Seattle, Wash.—Lt. Col. J. H. Como, Q.M., July 5-July 22; Lt. Col. R. E. Fisher, Cav., Maj. M. P. Andrus, C. A.C., Maj. A. L. P. Johnson, Inf., all June 12-Aug. 12.

From Oakland, Calif.—Capt. E. W. Grimer, Inf., F. Nickerson, P.S., retired, A. W. Doubery, P.S., retired, 1st Lts. W. H. Steward, Inf., J. R. Deano, Inf., all June 16-July 18.

From Tacoma, Wash.—Capt. G. A. Ross, Inf., June 12-Aug. 12.

From Spokane, Wash.—Capt. C. A. Lundy, Inf., June 12-Aug. 12.

(2) To Del Monte, Calif.: From Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.—Cols. E. V. Smith, Inf., June 20-Aug. 1; F. L. Munson, Inf., July 7-28; Lt. Cols. F. W. Griffin, F.A., July 9-July 27; W. A. Covington, C.A.C., W. J. O'Loughlin, Inf., Maj. R. A. Allen, M.C., D. H. Cowles, Inf., T. B. Maghee, Inf., S. W. Manley, Inf., G. E. Nelson, F.A., all June 20-Aug. 1; O. A. Eastwood, C.W.S., June 10-Sept. 1; R. Brush, Inf., C. A. W. Dawson, C.A.C., Capt. L. J. Cartwright, Inf., K. B. Gunn, Inf., all July 9-July 27; Capt. C. E. Rothwell, C.E., June 20-July 27; Capt. A. F. Herold, A.S., G. A. Hunt, Inf., June 20-Aug. 1.

From Sacramento, Calif.—Capt. J. L. Tupper, Inf., June 20-Aug. 1.

From Los Angeles, Calif.—Lt. Col. J. J. Mudgett, U.S.A., retired, June 29-July 27; Maj. C. L. Wyman, U.S.A., retired, June 22-July 27; Capt. W. R. Wilson, U.S.A., retired, W. J. H. Ryan, Inf., P. McC. Vernon, Inf., all June 29-July 27.

From San Diego, Calif.—1st Lt. O. R. Stillinger, Cav., June 29-July 27.

From Riverside, Calif.—1st Lt. E. L. Field, Inf., June 22-July 27.

From San Francisco, Calif.—1st Lt. J. H. Donahue, Inf., June 22-July 27.

From Camp Lewis, Wash.—Maj. L. E. Lyon, C.E., June 20-July 27.

(3) To Fort Douglas, Utah:

From Salt Lake City, Utah—Maj. O. S. McCleary, U.S.A., retired and 1st Lt. J. E. Ray, F.A., June 8-July 29.

From Idaho Falls, Idaho—Capt. L. G. Harer, Inf., June 11-July 29.

From Roundup, Mont.—Capt. T. A. Reiner, Inf., June 10-July 30.

From Boise, Idaho—Maj. H. W. Hall, Cav., June 8-July 29.

From Reno, Nev.—Capt. P. Overstreet, Inf., June 12-July 29.

From Cheyenne, Wyo.—Capt. W. M. Hutson, Inf., June 8-July 29.

From Long Beach, Calif.—Capt. J. G. Gunn, P.S., retired, July 16-July 29.

From Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.—Capt. J. P. Welch, Q.M., July 1-July 30.

From Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo.—1st Lt. P. J. Atkinson, 76th F.A., 2d Lt. R. C. McCormick, 13th Cav., 1st Lt. G. A. O'Rourke, 76th F.A., all July 10-July 29.

(4) To Fort Winfield Scott, Calif.:

From Seattle, Wash.—Maj. J. L. Holcombe, C.A.C., June 29-July 29.

From Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.—Maj. C. K. Wing, C.A.C., July 5-July 29.

From Los Angeles, Calif.—Maj. F. Drake, C.A.C., June 29-July 29.

b. For temporary duty with the Organ-

ized Reserve and Reserve Officers' Training Corps camps:

(1) To Rockwell Field, Calif.: From Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.—Capt. M. F. Davis, A.S., June 20-Aug. 20.

## REGIMENTAL INSIGNIA NOW BEING SUPPLIED

ANNOUCEMENT was made this week by the Quartermaster General, U.S.A., that before July 4 all Field Artillery regimental organizations will have their new individual coats-of-arms. All but two regiments have been supplied with individual insignia. Lt. Col. William R. Gibson, Q.M.C., who is in charge of this work, is assisted by Capt. L. Moultrie Ward, Q.M.C., and Miss Flora F. Sherwood, official artist of the Q.M. Corps.

For more than four years Miss Sherwood has been engaged in the work of making drawings, and five years' work is ahead of her before this task will be completed. She averages one regiment a week, making two illuminated drawings, one of which is forwarded to the commanding officer of the organization for preservation with the regimental archives, while the other goes to the Philadelphia depot, where all of the regimental colors and standards are made and embroidered in silk. Two weeks are required to finish one flag.

The coat-of-arms of the organization now goes on the regimental color instead of that of the United States which was used previously. Instead of the old "pluribus unum," the regimental motto goes on the scroll in the beak of the eagle, used as supporters for the shield carrying the coat-of-arms, and in the scroll beneath the eagle's claws go the regimental number and arm. The shield is seven inches high for colors and five inches high for standards. The crest of the United States coat-of-arms is replaced by the regimental crest. Relative to the National Guard flags, the state crest is used above the shield bearing the regimental device and for Reserve regiments the crest is the same for all—a minute man.

## REMOUNT SERVICE BREEDING OPERATIONS

ANNOUCEMENT has been made by the Remount Service, Q.M.C., that through the generosity of the New York, Kentucky and Maryland jockey clubs and racing associations it was possible for the American Remount Association to donate approximately \$3,000 in cash prizes during the 1923 season at the various horse shows and state and county fairs throughout the country for the purpose of stimulating better horse breeding. More than forty-six shows and fairs shared in the distribution of this amount.

During the 1923 breeding season it is reported that about 8,000 mares were bred to 250 stallions belonging to the Quartermaster Corps. Approximately 3,000 foals were produced as a result of the 1922 breeding, during which time 219 stallions were mated to about 7,000 mares. Nearly 350 stallions will be in service for the current breeding season.

## HAMILTON HORSES PLACED BROOKLYN HORSE SHOW

AT the Brooklyn Horse Show held during the week of April 21-26, the following entries from Fort Hamilton placed: Officers' chargers: 1st, Lt. J. P. Neu on Cocotte; 2d, Lt. Hagan on Whiskers. Enlisted men's mounts: 1st, Sgt. Browning on Teddy; 2d, Pvt. Malarkey on Pope; 3d, 1st Sgt. Chase on Dick. Polo mounts: 1st, Lt. J. P. Neu on Barbara; 2d, Sgt. Browning on Joe; 3d, Pvt. Malarkey on Pope.

On Monday, April 28, the annual horse show was held on the post. All animals and transportation were entered, and the appearance of the machine gun companies of the 18th Infantry was favorably commented upon by Gen. Graves, who visited the show with his staff. The Service Company wagon train was in such fine condition that the judges had trouble in deciding which were the three best wagons. The slow mule race and the booby class caused much merriment at the close of the day.

## CORPS OF CADETS

U.S.M.A., WEST POINT, N.Y.

A SERIES of lectures has been prepared under the direction of the Department of Tactics for the cadets of the several classes. These lectures cover a number of subjects, each class being given those talks which bear directly on their immediate future.

AMONG West Point competitors for the modern pentathlon are Capt. Harmon, Lts. Mewshaw and Pitt and Cadet P. C. Hains. This is essentially a military pentathlon, so the tryouts are being conducted by the Army. Competitions in pistol, swimming, and fencing will be held at West Point, May 14, 15 and 16, respectively.

ABOUT 200 members of the First Class left the Academy on Sunday, May 4, for the annual ordnance trip. They visited Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Edgewood Arsenal, Frankford Arsenal and Raritan Arsenal. Demonstrations of some of the most unusual phases of warfare were given at the various stopping places. The 6th Field Artillery laid down a model barrage, which proved to be exceedingly interesting. Chemical warfare tubes proved conclusively the value of poison gases and smoke screens in modern warfare.

BERNARR MACFADDEN, the noted physical culturist, spoke at the Y.M.C.A. meeting, Sunday evening, May 4. There was an organ recital in the cadet chapel Sunday, May 4, given by Mr. Meyer.

A GROUP of officers and ladies on the post presented on Sunday afternoon, May 4, "The Dover Road," a comedy in three acts by A. A. Milne. The play, directed by Maj. Chilton, was planned for the entertainment of the cadets, and the excellent presentation was appreciated by them.

ON Wednesday, April 30, Dr. H. E. Howe, president of the American Chemical Society, lectured to the Second Class on the subject, "Chemistry in World Affairs."

SATURDAY afternoon, May 3, a special informal hop was held in the gymnasium for the entertainment of the visitors from Columbia. The cadet orchestra furnished the music.

FOR the first time since March 8 there was a hop in Cullum Hall, Saturday night, May 3. There were many visitors on the post for this opening of the spring social activities.

A SHORT concert was given by the U.S. M.A. band, under the direction of Lt. Egner, Sunday, May 4, in front of the Superintendent's quarters.

## MIDSHIPMEN

U.S.N.A., ANNAPOLIS, MD.

THE Naval Academy will observe today as "Press Day," and a fine program of sports, embracing every branch usual in colleges, except rowing, will be presented. Nine events have been scheduled, five of them being the varsity teams and the others for the plebes.

Representatives of the newspapers will be specially invited by the Academy authorities, and they will be given facilities for seeing the sports and the Academy in general.

THE three medals, offered by the Naval Academy authorities for excellence in rifle firing, members of the Second Class being eligible in the competition, have been won by the following midshipmen: Gold medal, Morton C. Mumma, jr., Iowa; silver medal, Glenn McC. Cox, Missouri; bronze medal, Alwin D. Kramer, Massachusetts. Their scores were 236, 233 and 227, respectively, out of a possible 250. The competition consisted of ten shots at "surprise" fire, twenty in the skirmish run, and twenty at 500 yards slow fire.

MDSN. AUSTIN W. WHELOCK of New York has been elected captain of the Naval Academy gymnastic team for the coming season. He is an excellent performer on the board and rings and as a rope climber. In the recent tournament of the Intercollegiate Gymnastic Association, he was second in individual excellence.

THE program of "June Week," the commencement period at the Naval Acad-

emy, was announced last week. It opens Saturday, May 31, the chief events of that day being contests in baseball, field and track and tennis against the Military Academy, and the dinner for the graduates of the Naval Academy, and closes on Wednesday, June 4, the graduation exercises taking place on that day.

The program of "June Week" includes the baccalaureate sermon on June 1 and the farewell ball on June 3.

## THE CAVALRY SCHOOL

FORT RILEY, KAS.

THE commandant, Brig. Gen. King, has recently given two interesting talks to the instructors and students of the school, the first on the educational system of the Army, the second on command.

MAJ. GEN. ELI A. HELMICK, inspector, spent a few days at the post recently on his annual inspection trip. He was present at an exercise of the troop officers' class in laying out a defensive position of a squadron in the defense of Fort Riley and inspected the other school and post activities. He witnessed an exhibition ride in the west riding hall, which included a musical drill by the ladies' riding class. He gave an interesting talk on morale and left the post by airplane for Chanute, Kas.

MAJ. TINKER and Capt. Boland of the 16th Observation Squadron, Air Service, have left on a three weeks' trip to the east in the ship Pathfinder, in connection with plans for the summer training camps to be held in Kansas City.

AN outdoor swimming pool is being built in the ravine between the upper and lower post and is expected to be ready for use before the hot weather sets in. The walls are to be made from sections of the concrete piles which served as foundations for the buildings in Camp Funston. The pool is to be nine feet deep at one end and three feet at the other, with a shallow extension at one end for the children.

THE Cavalry Board has recommended the modification of all McClellan saddles so as to do away with the quarter straps, spider rings and cincha, substituting therefor a girth similar to that used for eight months by the 2d Cavalry and have proved entirely satisfactory. They give a firmer and more comfortable riding seat than the regulation saddle, are more comfortable for the horse, more easily cleaned, more convenient in use, protect the soldier's clothing and have a better appearance.

## ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

A SET of study drawings for a power cart, weighing about 750 pounds and capable of a maximum speed of three and one-quarter miles per hour, has been submitted to the Ordnance Department by the design section at Rock Island Arsenal. The body of the cart has been arranged to transport Infantry accompanying gun carriages mounted on their wheels.

FRANKFORD ARSENAL has been directed to prepare a design of machine gun telescopic sight according to specifications prescribed by the Infantry Board covering the requirements of the Services. A test will be made of the sight.

THE new airways parachute flares recently shipped to McCook Field for test have excellent functioning, thus confirming the results obtained at the Aberdeen Proving Ground. They did not, however, meet the latest requirements of the Air Service, and steps are being taken to incorporate in the design the necessary modifications. In order, however, to provide the Air Service with flares for use in forced landings in night flying it is proposed to make up a number of them according to the present unmodified design which has given satisfactory results.

THE office of the Chief of Ordnance is in receipt of a report showing satisfactory functioning of fragmentation hand grenades loaded with the new P.A. grenade powder and also with the new Hercules grenade powder at the Aberdeen Proving Ground. Further tests will include test by the using service to confirm, if possible, the results obtained, and surveillance tests will also be carried out to ascertain the storage qualities of these two new types of powders.

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## BRITTEN WANTS NEW BILL LIMITING NAVY'S STAFF

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every one hundred officers; third, the so-called 'age in grade retirement' feature was established, applicable, however, to the line of the Navy only; and, finally, the so-called selection method of promotion, which was made applicable to officers of the line and of the staff corps above and including the rank of commander. Thus, it will be seen, almost all principles relating to the promotion of naval personnel which were in effect prior to the act of Aug. 29, 1916, were radically changed by that act, and all considerations existing prior to its enactment must now be radically revised in the light of its operation.

"At the time of the presentation of the information leading to the passage by Congress of the act of Aug. 29, 1916, it is assumed that due weight was given to all known factors relating to the probable consequences of that act. Nevertheless, it is now apparent that, for whatever reason, the consequences of that act were not fully foreseen. As a result, therefore, it now appears that the disparity in age between officers of the line in the ranks of captain and commander, and between officers of these ranks in all corps but one of the staff corps, is so great as adversely to affect the morale of those staff corps. This disparity in age will continue to increase because the officers of the line are subjected to a regular flow of promotion, while the promotion of the Supply Corps officer is practically at a standstill.

"In the Supply Corps at this time a comparison between the ten junior commanders of the line and the ten senior lieutenant commanders of the Supply Corps shows the average age of the ten junior commanders of the line to be 38 years, and of the ten senior Supply Corps lieutenant commanders to be 42 years and 1 month—a difference of four years and one month in favor of the line commander. The junior Supply Corps lieutenant commander of the ten used as an illustration will not receive his promotion to the next higher grade until 1936, twelve years from now, at which time he will be 53 years of age, while his line running mate became a commander at the age of 40.

### SUPPLY CORPS COMMANDERS

"Comparing the ten junior line captains with the ten senior Supply Corps commanders it will be found that the average age of the ten junior line captains is 44, or two years and six months younger than that of the ten senior commanders in the Supply Corps, which is forty-six years and six months. The junior Supply Corps commander of these ten will not receive his promotion to captain until 1936, when he will be 58 years of age, although his line running mate became a captain at the age of 44. This situation is most disheartening to the officers of the staff corps concerned and remedial legislation seems essential.

"In an endeavor to correct the existing inequalities, to prevent their recurrence in future years, and to place the commissioned personnel of the Navy on a plane of equality, the Department, after the most careful consideration and after the receipt of suggestions from an unusually able and competent board appointed for the purpose, has submitted the bill that is now before you, called the Equalization bill. To accomplish the essential purpose of the bill recommends the establishment of what is called contemporary promotion, or running mate promotion, to include all corps except the Corps of the Professors of Mathematics, and to be applicable to all ranks of each corps up to and including the rank of rear admiral.

"The Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, in whose behalf I am here, is heartily in favor of this Equalization bill.

"I beg to invite attention to the fact that this bill does not immediately give the Supply Corps a single additional rear admiral, although at the time it will give us as many as twelve, and eventually leads to a normal of seven. However, it is not for this reason that the Supply Corps advocates the passage of this bill. The reason it advocates the passage of this bill is to secure contemporary promotion and because of the contentment that it is earnestly believed the passage of the bill will lead to.

"During the exposition of the bill made by Comdr. McCain on April 16 members of the committee made particular inquiry in regard to the promotion of dental surgeons and of chaplains. The Surgeon General of the Navy has already discussed, and I have no doubt that the

Chaplain-in-Charge of the Chaplain Corps' affairs will discuss, the reasons why the bill should apply to those corps as well as to the other corps. Nevertheless, I venture to invite your attention to the fact that the bill before you is not designed primarily to secure the promotion of chaplains to rear admiral, nor of dental surgeons to rear admiral. The bill is designed to secure contemporary promotion, and hence to secure justice for all officers of the Navy. As a matter of fact, except for the securing of a rear admiral or two, the Chaplain Corps makes an extraordinary sacrifice by agreeing to this Equalization bill. Of course, they make this sacrifice because of their belief that it will benefit the Navy as a whole, as it undoubtedly will.

"It is assumed that chaplains are in the Navy because the spiritual welfare of the naval personnel is thought to need the presence of chaplains. If the presence of chaplains is of benefit to the spiritual welfare of the men in the Service—and I suppose the truth of that fact is admitted by everyone—then the rewards of honor and of pay for chaplains ought to be as great as those of any other persons in the Service. I do not feel competent to discuss spiritual matters, but it seems to me that chaplains should receive as high rank and pay in proportion to their numbers as should any other group of officers.

### DENTAL CORPS RANK

"It has been contended, in effect, that dental surgeons should not be promoted above the rank of lieutenant commander. It seems to me that plain justice for the dental surgeons should insure their inclusion in the bill along with officers in other corps. The profession of dental surgery has had a long, hard fight to receive proper recognition. It is my understanding that it has secured this recognition in civil life. Its recognition in the military service is inevitable, even of such recognition should be now postponed. If dental surgeons are required in the Navy at all—and they not only are required but receive rank up to lieutenant commander—then they should receive higher ranks. This has been the trend of affairs for five hundred years. Originally, neither the men who fired the guns nor the men who sailed the ships were accepted as other than mechanics. Only soldiers placed on board for fighting purposes received the recognition of honor and of pay. This was the case until about 1550. Then the so-called sailing masters became recognized as part of the military force. Later, the men who handled the bombards and carronades received recognition commensurate with others. At a later date the surgeons and what we now call Supply Corps officers received such recognition. It is believed that the time has come to recognize the dental surgeons in the same way, and that such recognition will improve the morale of the Service and redound to its health and to the interest in the Navy of the civilian population.

"Some reference has been made also as to whether or not the number of rear admirals of the staff corps can be profitably employed. It has been suggested that only 50 per cent. of the recommended proportion of rear admirals should be made. I believe that the full number of our admirals can properly be employed and that contemporary promotion to include rear admiral will be of benefit to the naval service. Responsibility, long service, honorable record—all these should receive the recognition of high rank. Honor is one of the proper accompaniments of long service, responsibility and honorable record. In civil life respect for position finds its principal recognition in the remuneration secured. Unless the staff corps can secure recognition for such things their morale is adversely affected and the number of desirable applicants for such corps is greatly diminished.

"I think there are three forms of motives—three groups of devotion—that hold a man in the Navy. First, there is devotion to the Service; second, there is devotion that a man has to the proper accomplishment of the job that he is doing in life—to the task to which fate has assigned him; third, there is devotion to the means he has of earning an honest livelihood.

"I believe that this is a just and fair bill; that it would, as nearly as is possible in human affairs, correct the sense of hardship, and even of injustice, under which whole groups of officers in the different staff corps now labor; that it would preserve harmony within the Navy for an indefinite period. No bill can ever adjust everything permanently, but this will do more to settle matters permanently than any plan that I have ever heard of."



# SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE NEWS LETTER

by E. B. JOHNS

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## NOTICE

**DUE** to the fact that the building in which the present Washington office of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL is located is soon to be torn down, the office of the Washington correspondent hereafter will be No. 207 The Evans Building, New York avenue, between 14th and 15th streets.

The new location is just around the corner from the old one, at the point where 15th street, Pennsylvania avenue and New York avenue meet just in front of the Treasury Building.

THE salvo that Adm. Coontz fired in his report on the condition of the fleet was literally heard around the world. Its reverberations stirred up Congress and the public press to a healthy discussion of the question as to whether the United States is really doing its duty under the treaty by maintaining the American Navy at the treaty ratio.

The efforts of the pussy-footers in Congress to suppress any discussion of the Navy failed utterly. Even Senator King of Utah, who had distinguished himself by fault-finding tactics during the consideration of naval legislation, introduced a resolution providing for a Congressional investigation of the strength of the Navy. He would have a special committee conduct this investigation with a view to ascertaining the truth of the statement that the American Navy is not being maintained at treaty strength.

Representative Rogers of Massachusetts, who has always been a staunch supporter of national defense measures, whether they pertained to the Army or to the Navy, was prompt to take advantage of the situation and introduce a resolution of inquiry. He declared that if the statements of Capt. Dudley M. Knox, naval correspondent of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, to the effect that the ratio strength of the American Navy was 2 1/2 instead of 3, were not true, this officer should be reprimanded. Representative Britten of Illinois, ranking Republican on the Naval Affairs Committee, made a move along the same lines as that of Mr. Rogers, directing an inquiry to the Secretary of the Navy asking a series of questions to bring out a comprehensive statement as to the condition of the Navy.

The only unfortunate feature of Adm. Coontz's report is the time of its publication. It should have been made public, if possible, before the Naval Appropriation bill was reported out of the House committee, or before it had passed the Senate. There is not much doubt that if the revelation had been made before the bill had passed both houses material increases could have been obtained. As it is, the report will doubtless assist materially in securing action on the bill for new construction and modernization.

And help is needed if any naval legislation is to be secured from the House this session. The filibuster this week against the Barkley Railroad Labor bill increases the difficulties of securing time for the consideration of naval legislation. The whole program of the House has been disturbed, and there will be a general rush for special rules. However, with the pressure of public opinion behind the Naval Affairs Committee there is not much doubt that time will be set aside for naval legislation.

The Secretary of the Navy is standing firmly behind a treaty navy. He has delivered a number of addresses on the subject in which he indicates that there will be no hope for further limitation of naval armament unless the United States maintains its full ratio on battleships and other crafts limited by the treaty and develops an extensive program on cruisers and auxiliaries which are not limited. The Secretary is a very forceful speaker and on account of his service on the Supreme Bench of California his utterances carry great weight.

## FILLING ARMY VACANCIES

THE Secretary of War will shortly be called upon to fill two important vacancies on the General Staff and name a new Chief of Cavalry. He will also have two vacancies in the general officers' grade.

This will be brought about by the retirement of Maj. Gen. Charles H. Muir on July 18, and of Maj. Gen. Willard A.

Holbrook, Chief of Cavalry, on July 23. Orders have been issued for the relief of Brig. Gen. Stuart H. Heintzelman as Assistant Chief of Staff, War Plans Division, and Col. William K. Naylor, assistant chief of staff, G-2.

It is presumed that the Secretary will not fill these vacancies on the General Staff and as Chief of Cavalry until he has made recommendations for the promotion of some brigadier general to succeed Gen. Muir and a colonel to succeed the brigadier general that will be promoted.

Contrary to the general reports that have been in circulation, there will not be a vacancy in the office Chief of Infantry or Chief of Field Artillery until March of 1925. The Judge Advocate General has ruled that the failure of Congress to confirm the nominations of the chiefs of branches when they were sent to the Senate before the adjournment of the last Congress, which made it necessary to present the nominations again in March of 1921, in effect started the four-year term of officers on that date.

Gen. Heintzelman's orders grant him a leave from July 1 to July 18, when he goes to Fort Benning for a short course. He leaves for Honolulu in September for his new station. Col. Naylor is relieved from the department on July 1, going to Fort Sam Houston for his new station. Between now and July 1 it is presumed that Secretary of War Weeks will select officers to fill these vacancies on the General Staff.

Although the orders are not out yet, it is known that Brig. Gen. Johnson Hagood, upon his return from the Philippines, will assume the command of the 2d Coast Artillery District, with headquarters at Fort Totten. He succeeds Brig. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, who has been recently assigned to duty as Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3.

## ARMY AND DIPLOMACY

IT may be interesting to the older officers in the Service to know that M. E. Hanna, former captain of Cavalry in the Regular Army, is making a splendid record in the Diplomatic Service. He will be recalled as a member of the General Staff during the consideration of the National Defense act, having served a detail of secretary. He resigned from the Army about a year before the war broke out in Europe.

Shortly after the war was declared in Europe I met Capt. Hanna on the street in Washington. He said it looked to him as if we were going to get into the war, and that he was getting ready to offer his service to the government. I made an engagement to meet him at his hotel Tuesday of the next week and called to fulfil the appointment. I found a little note directed to me in which he stated that he had been unexpectedly asked by the State Department to join a mission that was to be sent to Mexico, and that he would return in about six weeks. It was over six years before he returned to Washington, and then he was put in charge of the division of the State Department on Mexican affairs. Part of the time that he was in Mexico he acted as minister and, it is stated, conducted most of the negotiations which resulted in the recognition of the present government of Mexico.

Capt. Hanna is now in Paris on a sick leave, having overworked himself in the department. As soon as he recovers he will assume his duties as secretary to the American Embassy in Berlin. It is only a matter of time until Capt. Hanna will be a minister in charge of one of the important embassies.

## WARRANT OFFICERS' BILLS

IT is difficult to understand why Representative McLaughlin should introduce two more bills (H.R. 9010 and H.R. 9011) and have them referred to the House Committee on Naval Affairs. As has been previously stated in these columns, under an agreement reached in the House, all proposals for amendments to the Pay act of June 10, 1922, are to be handled by the Military Committee. The Military Committee assumes the role of the special joint Congressional committee that originally framed the Pay act.

Even if the Naval Affairs Committee should report out either of Mr. McLaughlin's bills for the commissioned chief and warrant officers, Acting Chairman McKenzie of the Military Affairs Committee would object to their consideration. During the hearing granted by the House Committee on Naval Affairs to Mr. McLaughlin, Representative Vinson inquired if there was not an agreement by which all amendments to the Pay act were to be referred to the Military Committee. Chairman Butler answered that that was his understanding.

This may be unfortunate and an unusual way to handle bills which refer strictly to the Navy, but this is the decree of the leaders of the House on both sides. Mr. McLaughlin's first bill (H.R. 9010) is the same as his original bill, with the provision limiting the maximum pay and allowances for commissioned chief warrant officers to \$5,000 per annum.

The second bill (H.R. 9011) provides that chief warrant officers on the active list of the Navy shall be allowed to compute their service in the same manner as now authorized for retired warrant officers on active duty under the provisions of the act of April 18, 1918, amended by the act of June 10, 1922.

It is unfortunate that these bills are not before the Military Committee so that they could be considered in connection with the Curry bill.

## COMMISSIONED WARRANT OFFICERS

THE letter of Representative McSwain to Secretary of the Navy Wibur, briefed in another column, is not a surprise to those who have been watching the hearings on the Curry bill (H.R. 7072). The members of the Military Committee naturally think in terms of the Army. They know that over 1,000 of the present officers of the Army were appointed directly from the enlisted personnel and that almost 4,000 have had enlisted service.

As a consequence, they can see no reason why part at least of the commissioned officers of the Navy cannot be brought up from the enlisted force. The questions that have been asked, not only by Mr. McSwain, but by Acting Chairman McKenzie and a number of other members of the committee, must have prompted Mr. McSwain's letter. Only future developments will determine whether a movement has been started in Congress which will eventually set aside a certain percentage in the commissioned personnel of the Navy for enlisted men.

It would appear that the safest way for the Navy Department to deal with the situation would be to send to Congress, or specifically to the Military Committee, some constructive recommendations which will adjust the pay of commissioned chief and warrant officers, if they wish to stop the agitation for more drastic legislation. Either this should be done or the last annual report of the Chief of the Bureau of Navigation should be repudiated.

## PRESIDENT STIRS UP CONGRESS

BOTH the House Committee on Military Affairs and the House Committee on Naval Affairs will have a day in court next week if another filibuster does not develop to upset the program of the Republican leaders. President Coolidge called the Republican leaders of the Senate and House to the White House the latter part of this week, with a view to

impressing upon them the importance of speeding up legislation.

The President is anxious to adjourn Congress by June 1. It is understood that he believes that it is important to give the country relief from threatened disturbances which will result from too much legislation. If Congress does not adjourn before the national conventions it is apt to remain in session for a month or so. It might drag way into August or September and thus keep business in an unsettled conditions during the campaign.

About the only element that can prevent the Congress from adjourning before the conventions is the Democratic leaders in the Senate. At a conference among the leaders on the Democratic side of the Senate a sentiment developed against attempting to adjourn before the conventions. On previous occasions Congress recessed for the conventions and some of the most influential Democrats rather favor this program.

The weather is apt to have much to do with the Senate's attitude on the question of adjournment. Two or three hot weeks, or even four or five days of real Washington warm weather, generally create a desire among the elder statesmen to adjourn. Up to this time there has been no real warm weather in Washington, and, as a consequence, the Senators are not in a hurry to adjourn. This situation makes it very difficult for the Republican leaders to speed up legislation. However, they are preparing for a drive both in the Senate and in the House.

Despite the confusion in the House, the Military Committee will have the right of way on May 3 and 14. The first bill to be taken up under the tentative program of the committee will be the bill (H.R. 8886) reported out of the committee for the amendment of the National Defense act in matters relating to the National Guard. It is thought that there will be no opposition or little discussion of this bill, and that it will be taken up and passed in very short order.

The next bill on the committee's program is the bill for the amendment of the National Defense act which contains provisions for an increase in the number of non-commissioned officers for the Regular Army. It also contains the provisions amending the Manchu law, but the bill as reported from the House committee strikes out all of the recommendations of the War Department regarding details of officers except that one which refers to the Medical Corps. This provision gives the President authority to use his discretion in carrying out the Manchu law in the assignment of Medical officers. An amendment will be offered on the floor of the House extending it to cover Ordnance and Chemical Warfare officers. What form this provision will assume when the bill is finally passed will be worked out in the joint conference committee. This is an understanding that has been reached between Chairman Wadsworth of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs and Acting Chairman McKenzie.

When the House Committee on Naval Affairs secures a rule it will probably take up the Naval Omnibus bill first. As it is pending before the House, it was passed by the last Congress and naturally the committee would meet with less resistance if this bill were placed before the House first.

The next bill naturally will be the one for the modernization of the ships and the authorization of the Navy Department's building program. However, the committee will not adopt its program until Chairman Butler has discussed the matter with the Committee on Rules. He has taken it up informally with the chairman of the Committee on Rules and the members and has assurance of a special rule before Congress adjourns.

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## "SECRETARY OF NAVY DAY" AT ANNAPOLIS

### Midshipmen Win at Track and Baseball but Race Is Canceled

#### LACROSSE TEAM WINNER

ANNAPOLIS, May 8.

**SECRETARY OF THE NAVY WILBUR**, who visited the Naval Academy for the first time since he assumed office, was complimented through the designation of May 3 as "Secretary of the Navy Day," and the presentation of a remarkably fine program of athletic events.

One or more contests in every seasonable college sport were on the program, and the schedule was carried out, except that the boat races between the crews of Princeton and the Naval Academy had to be called off on account of the condition of the course.

Naval Academy athletes did well. They won the lacrosse game against the University of Pennsylvania overwhelmingly, gained a victory in field and on track against Pittsburgh and Johns Hopkins, and won a rather ragged game of baseball against Johns Hopkins. The tennis team, however, was swamped by Princeton.

Plebes were not quite so successful. They won a lacrosse game against Baltimore City College. The University of Maryland freshmen won on the diamond, the rifle team of Central High School of Washington won a bare victory, and Baltimore City College had a slight edge on the tennis courts.

#### TRACK MEET WON

With a better balanced team than either of its opponents, the field and track men won from the University of Pittsburgh and Johns Hopkins, scoring 64½ points. Pittsburgh totaled 32½ and Hopkins was a close third with 29. The track was wet and heavy.

The greatest surprise of the afternoon was the defeat of Verne Booth, the Hopkins crack, in the mile by Shepherd of the Navy. The latter passed three opponents in the quarter stretch, winning in the good time of 9:35.8-10.

Leggett, with a throw of 136 feet 7½ inches, added 2 feet 10½ inches to the Academy record for the discus. He also took the javelin event, and his teammate, Huckins, won the hurdles.

The summary:  
120-yard hurdles—Huckins, Navy; Makwell, Hopkins; Hedding, Navy, 16 3-5.  
100 dash—Clark, Hopkins; Marshall, Navy; Johnson, Navy, 10 1-5.

One-mile run—Shepherd, Navy; Booth, Hopkins; Tyree, Navy, 4:35 8-10.  
440 dash—Hammond, Navy; Dorcas, Hopkins; James, Pittsburgh, 52 6-10.

220 hurdles—Huckins, Navy; Shapley, Navy; Brown, Hopkins, 26 3-5.  
Half-mile—Tammany, Navy; Carpenter, Navy; Watkins, Pittsburgh, 2:2.

Two-mile run—Booth, Hopkins; Corbitt, Pittsburgh; Thomas, Navy, 9:55 2-5.  
220 dash—Clark, Hopkins; Summers, Navy; Marshall, Navy, 2:3.

Shot put—Johnson, Pittsburgh; Kutucha, Pittsburgh; Hambleton, Hopkins, 38 feet 3 inches.

Pole vault—Robusch, Pittsburgh; Rutledge, McLean and Huckins, all Navy, tied for second, 11 feet 6 inches.

Discus throw—Leggett, Navy; Johnson, Pittsburgh; Kutucha, Pittsburgh, 136 feet 7½ inches.

High jump—Robusch, Pittsburgh; Proctor, Hopkins; Opie, Navy, and Johnson, Pittsburgh, tied for third, 6 feet 2½ inches.

Javelin throw—Leggett, Navy; Sullivan, Navy; Ragsdale, Navy, 160 feet 6 inches.

Broad jump—Johnson, Pittsburgh; Hirst, Navy; Huckins, Navy, 21 feet 3½ inches.

The Navy won on the diamond from Johns Hopkins, leading 9 to 0 at the opening of the seventh inning. In that session, however, Hopkins found Peterson for six safe hits, including Holland's circuit, and the seven runs which resulted made the visitors dangerous, particularly as they brought the score to a tie with two runs in the eighth.

The Navy batsmen found Winkenwerder in the second, fourth and sixth innings, in each of which three runs were

#### NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF NAVY ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The Army-Navy baseball game of 1924 will be played at the U.S. Naval Academy, Lawrence Field, on May 31, at 2 p.m.

Those members of the Navy Athletic Association desiring tickets for this game should make requests by letter addressed to Secretary, Navy Athletic Association, stating number desired and address to which tickets are to be sent, or if tickets will be called for.

Requests must be received by the secretary not later than May 15, 1924. Tickets will not be required for the track and tennis meets with the U.S. Military Academy that day.

Requests for tickets for the lacrosse game to be played at West Point should be made to Secretary, Navy Athletic Association.

B. McCANDLESS,  
Commander, U.S. Navy, Secretary.

scored. He was succeeded by Stewart, who pitched well in the seventh. In the eighth, however, the Navy scored four runs on Barchet's single, a wild pitch, a pass, fielder's choices and Wilkins's home run. The score:

Johns Hopkins—Keene, 3b.; Smith 1f.; Marion, cf.; Schast, ss.; Holland, 3.; King, rf.; Thomas, 2b.; O'Connor, 1b.; Winkenwerder, p.; Stewart, p.

Naval Academy—Barchet, 3b.; McKee, 2b.; Wellings, 2b.; Fenno, cf.; Harris, c.; Ellis, 1b.; Griffin, 1b.; Forsberg, ss.; Wilkinson, ss.; Waid, rf.; Leslie, lf.; Peterson, p.; Heisser, p.; Dyer, p.

Johns Hopkins... 0 0 0 0 0 7 2 0—9  
Naval Academy... 0 3 0 3 0 3 0 4 x—13

Home runs—Holland, Wilkinson. Two-base hits—Stewart, Ellis, Fenno. Struck out—By Peterson 5, by Dyer 1, by Winkenwerder 3, by Stewart 1. Double play—Harris and Griffin. Umpires—Aubrey and Hughes.

The Naval Academy lacrosse team struck its real pace, winning from the University of Pennsylvania by 16 to 1. At times some fast and accurate team work was exhibited, Albertson, Cullen, Bertschy and Beakley playing together in fine form.

The scoring during the first sixteen minutes of the game was very fast, the midshipmen averaging a goal every two minutes. With several substitutions in their attack the Navy's game slowed up considerably in the second half, the Navy scoring thirteen goals in the first period and only three in the second.

The summary:  
Naval Academy (16)—Daskam, g.; Devens, p.; Barnes, cp.; Taylor, 1d.; Fines, 2d.; Flippin, 3d.; Miller, c.; Albertson, 3a.; Coleman, 2a.; Bertschy, 1a.; Billing, oh.; Cullen, 1b.

University of Pennsylvania (1)—Rogers, g.; Adams, p.; Kovachy, cp.; McGinley, 1d.; Robinson, 2d.; Rau, 3d.; Moore, c.; Latimer, 3a.; Gardner, 2a.; Beauregard, 1a.; Taylor, oh.; Saydah, 1b.

Goals—Naval Academy: Beakley 4, Albertson 3, Cullen 3, Bertschy 3, Coleman, Craig, Kreiser; Pennsylvania: Gardner, Referee—Gillette, Johns Hopkins.

Princeton utterly overwhelmed the Naval Academy on the tennis courts, taking all six strings of singles and the only one in doubles which had been played before rain put a stop to the match.

By the score of 1,773 to 1,763 the rifle-men of Central High School of Washington won a match from the Naval Academy plebes. The shooting was at the 200 and 600 yard ranges, slow fire, and the 200 and 300, rapid fire, and in each class the score was close.

The high gun of the match was Dinwiddie of the visitors, who made the excellent score of 233 out of a possible 250.

#### NAVY NINE LOSES

Timely hitting enabled Washington and Lee to win from the Naval Academy at Annapolis on May 7. The score:

Washington and Lee—Gwaltney, cf.; Switzer, rf.; Wilson, ss.; Dawson, lf.; Seehorn, 3b.; Hawkins, 2b.; Eylmor, 1b.; McMillan, c.; Lindberger, p.

Navy—Barchet, 3b.; McKee, 2b.; Fenno, cf.; Harris, lf.; Leslie, rf.; Wilkinson, rf.; Ellis, 1b.; Waid, 1b.; Forsberg, ss.; Haerlin, c.; Dyer, p.; Heiser, p.

Errors, Washington and Lee 3, Navy 4. Wash. and Lee... 0 1 0 2 0 1 1 2 0—7  
Navy... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Three-base hits—Barchet, Hawkins. Stolen bases—Forsberg 3, Wilson. Struck out—By Dyer 3, by Heiser 1, by Lindberger 7. Double plays—Ellis and McKee; Barchet, Ellis and Haerlin. Umpires—Aubrey and Hughes.

## ARMY LOSES ANNUAL COLUMBIA BALL GAME

### Visiting Pitcher Slams Out Homer Which Wins Close Battle

#### ARMY TRACK MEN WIN

**FOLLOWING** a desperate pitchers' battle between Miller of the Army and Van Brocklin of Columbia, the collegians won a tight game of baseball by a score of 2 to 1 at West Point on May 3. The game was won by a home run by Van Brocklin in the eighth inning. Both pitchers gave an airtight exhibition. Columbia counting first. Army evened the score in the fourth when Browning stole second and scored on Roosma's burning single. The cadets made a desperate effort to take the lead and repeatedly placed men on bases, but were unable to cross the plate. In the eighth Van Brocklin won his own game by a smashing circuit clout which went over Smythe's head and into deep center. Coach Hans Lobert sent Sandy Goodman in as a pinch hitter in the last half of the ninth. Goodman whiffed, ending the game.

Van Brocklin and Miller were both in excellent form and the work of Cousland, the cadet catcher, was far above the average. The game saw a shakeup in the Army team, Dasher going to first, Bingham to short and Roosma playing right field.

Columbia—Horton, cf.; Moesch, ss.; sprague, lf.; Zegri, 2b.; Stack, rf.; Blatteis, c.; Mannheim, 1b.; Wagner, 3b.; Van Brocklin, p.

Army—Smythe, cf.; Dasher, 1b.; Browning, 2b.; Storck, 3b.; Roosma, rf.; Wood, lf.; Bingham, ss.; Cousland, c.; Miller, p.

Columbia... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—2  
Army... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1

Errors—Columbia 2, Army 1. Stolen bases—Mannheim, Browning, Bingham 2. Three base hit—Wagner. Home run—Van Brocklin. Struck out—By Miller 5, Van Brocklin 7. Double play—Storck-Browning-Dasher. Umpire—Marshall and Trantz.

#### ARMY TRACK MEN WIN

In the first meet of the season at West Point, on May 3, the Army triumphed over Columbia and the University of Virginia. The cadets took 65 points, University of Virginia 38½, Columbia 23½. The Army captured eight out of fourteen possible firsts, seven seconds, and six thirds. Calhoun in the two-mile run, Barks in the hurdle events, and Heacock in the dashes were the outstanding stars for the Army. Heacock set a new Academy record of 21 2-5 for the 220-yard dash.

The summary:  
100-yard dash—Heacock, Army; Deck, Columbia; Dean, Army; 10:00.

Pole vault—Lambert, Va.; Berry, Army; Roberts and Dulligan, Army, tied for third; 12 feet.

Shot-put—Winston, Va.; Stowell, Army; Thompson, Army; 41 ft. 7¾ ins. Mile run—Newman, Army; Coward, Va.; Theobald, Columbia, 4:36 3-5.

220-yard dash—Heacock, Army; Deck, Columbia; Starkey, Columbia; 21 2-5. Discus—Mulligan, Army; Winston, Va.; Turner, Army; 132 ft. 2 ins.

120-Yard hurdles—Barkes, Army; Des Islets, Army; Wiley, Columbia; 15.

High jump—Winkoop, Columbia; Baughman, Army, and Staber, Va., tied for second; 5 ft. 9 ins.

440-Yard dash—Bohammon, Va.; Tolcott, Va.; Campbell, Columbia; 51.

2-Mile run—Calhoun, Army; Moore, Columbia; Rosenberger, Va.; 9:53 2-5.

Broad jump—Sexton, Army; Robertson, Army; Long, Army; 21 ft. 9 ins.

220-Hurdles—Barkes, Army; Hulley, Army; Thesman, Va., and Courtney, Columbia tied for third; 24 3-5.

Javelin—Walp, Va.; Davis, Va.; Murphy, Army; 169 ft. 6 ins.

880-Yard run—Irvin, Va.; Trudeau, Army; Jaeger, Columbia; 2:01 4-5.

The Army tennis team won a decisive victory over the University of Pennsylvania, on May 3, at West Point, defeating them 8-1. The Army lost one doubles match.

## SPORTS CALENDAR

May 10—Army vs. N.Y.U., baseball; track and field, dual meet Colgate and N.Y.U.; tennis, N.Y.U.—all at West Point.

Navy vs. Pittsburgh, baseball; track and field and lacrosse, Penn State; Lehigh, tennis; Plebes vs. Catholic U. Frosh, and Maryland Frosh, lacrosse—all at Annapolis.

May 14—Army vs. Univ. of Pa., baseball and lacrosse, at West Point. Navy vs. Swarthmore, baseball; G.W. Univ., tennis, at Annapolis.

May 17—Army vs. Fordham, baseball; Mass. Tech. track and golf; Lafayette, tennis, at West Point.

Navy vs. W.Va. Wesleyan, baseball; Syracuse, lacrosse; Cornell, tennis; Plebes vs. Georgetown Univ. Frosh, baseball, all at Annapolis.

score was 102d Cavalry, 1,763; Army, 1,839. Cadet McDonough was the star of the day, making a total of 192 points out of a possible 200, besides being the highest scorer at every range.

The Army won its third victory of the season Saturday, May 3, at West Point, when Rutgers College was beaten in a well played lacrosse game, 7-3. The Rutgers College team was a team of fighters from beginning to end, but could not stifle the powerful Army machine. Baxter, Gilmore and Busbey were the outstanding stars for the cadets.

#### SYRACUSE BEATEN

A thrilling ninth inning finish featured the Army-Syracuse baseball game at West Point on May 7, which the cadets won 8 to 4. Don Storck hit a home run to deep left field, clearing the bases and winning the game for the cadets.

Roosma, pitching his first game for the Army, held the up-staters to three hits, two of which came in the fourth inning, when they scored all their runs. The score:

Army—Smythe, cf.; Baird, 1b.; Browning, 2b.; Storck, 3b.; Roosma, p.; Wood, lf.; Ellinger, rf.; Cousland, c.; Cobb, ss.; Smith, ss.

Syracuse—Ringwood, 3b.; Moses, 2b.; Breden, cf.; Sawyer, lf.; Boughton, 1b.; Greve, ss.; Noble, rf.; Kerwin, c.; Grani, p.

Army... 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 5—8  
Syracuse... 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0—4

Home run—Storck. Stolen bases—Smythe, Moses. Struck out—By Roosma 2, by Grani 5. Umpires—Marshall and Trantz.

## HERE AND THERE

#### FORT BENNING, GA.

The 29th Infantry, stationed at the Infantry School, has come in full force on the proposed new stadium. Since they are right on the ground it is especially to be noted that this regiment is among the first to back the stadium with the full force of the command. The enlisted men of the regiment were assigned a full section in the new structure some time ago, and now the assignment of an entire bay to the 29th Infantry is completed by the purchase of the eight boxes fronting on this section. These eight boxes have been subscribed for by eight officers of the 29th Infantry as follows: Col. Monroe C. Kerth, regimental commander; Capt. E. C. Betts, Lieut. Irwin W. Minger, Keith K. Tatom, R. W. Broadlow, William E. Carraway, George C. Mergens and Sidney L. Donahut.

The Infantry regiments of the Army are fast falling in line with the purchase of a complete section. The total cost of section and boxes is \$1,800. The 10th Infantry, 3d Infantry and 15th Tank Battalion comprise those who have so far taken complete sections.

#### FORT HOWARD, MD.

A thrilling game of baseball was played at Fort Howard, Md., on April 29 between Company B, 12th Inf., and the Detachment team, composed of men from the Quartermaster Corps, Field Artillery, Medical Corps and Signal Corps. The game was for the championship of the post, including a cup, which was won by Company B by the score of 1 to 0. The game was played in seven innings in the fast time of fifty-four minutes. The officers and men viewing the game say that it was the best game ever seen played by any Army team.

#### PLATTSBURG BARRACKS, N.Y.

The track and field meet at Plattsburg Barracks, N.Y., Saturday, May 3, 1924, resulted in the Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry, winning the Corps Area Commander's Trophy and the E. and I. Company team winning the Lyman Trophy. The Headquarters Company's score was 28 in the Corps Area commander's contest, and E. and I. won the Lyman contest by the same number of points. In addition to the two trophies, the winners of the first, second and third places each received individual medals.



## ARMY NOTES

**INSTRUCTION** of air mail pilots in parachute jumping has recently been inaugurated at Mitchel Field, N.Y. Staff Sergt. Jean E. Reviere has been instructing Mr. James Whalen, who will have charge of the mail parachutes for the Eastern Division, in the art of folding and packing. Mr. Whalen recently made the first jump with a parachute he had packed under Sergt. Reviere's supervision, as did Mr. C. Eugene Johnson, mail pilot. As conditions permit, all mail pilots on the Eastern Division will have the opportunity of jumping. First Lt. M. L. Elliott, A.S., parachute officer at the field, has general supervision of the instruction.

**ABOUT 200** cadets of the first class, U. S.M.A., some officers from Fort Monroe and the Quartermaster School at Philadelphia visited Edgewood Arsenal on May 6. They were shown through the plants at Edgewood and a demonstration of the various chemical warfare military weapons was given. In addition there was an exhibition of weapons peculiar to special gas troops, as well as gas equipment used by other troops and airplanes.

**THE** manufacture of 102 Phillips saddles for the first machine gun squadron and radio equipment of the 1st Cavalry Division was this week approved by the War Department. It is believed that this equipment, which will be manufactured by the Quartermaster Corps, will be ready for issue some time late in the summer.

**IN** answer to a question as to how many soldiers of the British army had been executed in accordance with sentences of courts-martial under the Army acts since Aug. 4, 1914, and for what offenses these were convicted, the British Secretary for War recently stated: Including officers, the number is 350. The offenses in question were: Mutiny, 5; cowardice, 18; desertion, 266; murder, 40; striking or violence, 5; disobedience, 5; sleeping on post, 2; quitting post, 7; and casting away arms, 2.

**MAJ. GEN. W. H. HART, Q.M.G.**, has detailed the following officers of the Quartermaster Corps as members of the board of review for the office of the United States Bureau of Efficiency. They are: Col. T. B. Hacker, F. W. Van Duyn, William Elliott, Lt. Col. E. H. Agnew and K. J. Hampton, Maj. E. G. Cullum, D. K. Mitchell and Capt. J. Moultrie Ward. Mr. Harry E. Davis, chief clerk, office of the Quartermaster General, is also a member of the board.

**RESOLUTIONS** endorsing the preparedness program, and calling upon their representatives in Congress to make adequate appropriations for this program, were passed by the Traffic Club of Oklahoma City, Okla., on April 21.

**THE 10th Infantry, U.S.A.**, is building a hydroplane to compete in the free-for-all race of the Ohio Valley Motor Boat Racing Association of Cincinnati, on Sept. 26 and 27. In order that this speed boat may be appropriately named, Col. Gohn, commanding has requested that each officer and enlisted man of the 10th Infantry submit to the adjutant, on or before May 5, as many names as he may desire. A cash prize of \$10 will be given to the officer or soldier submitting the winning name; in case the name selected features the Infantry arm of the Service, this prize will be increased to \$15; in case the name selected features the 10th Infantry, this prize will be increased to \$25.

**MAJ. GEN. CHARLES H. MUIR**, commanding the 3d Corps Area, has designated the following officers as a committee in charge of the conduct of the United States Army boxing and wrestling championships and Olympic tryouts to be held under the supervision of his headquarters on May 14, 15 and 16, 1924: Maj. W. L. Culbertson, Inf., Hqs. 3d Corps Area, chairman; Maj. E. I. Small, 12th Inf., Fort Howard, Md.; Capt. C. J. Mabbitt, Q.M., recruiting office, Harrisburg, Pa.; Jay R. Haskins, D.C., Camp Holabird, Md.; 1st Lts. Joseph J. Gutowski, Inf., Camp Meade, and C. L. Ornstein, S.S.O.R.C., Baltimore.

## INFANTRY AND CAVALRY DIVISIONS

## 1ST INFANTRY DIVISION.

**THE** War Department selected the 16th Infantry, U.S.A., on duty at Governors Island, N.Y., to furnish a platoon of specialists for duty as instructors, assistant instructors and for demonstrations in all Infantry arms except tanks for duty at the Military Academy for the summer training of the cadets. This platoon has completed its training for its summer duties. A formal rehearsal of its activities was arranged on May 5, to which were invited the commanding generals of the 2d Corps Area, 12th Army Corps, 27th Division, 1st Division and 1st Brigade; the commanding officers of all National Guard Infantry regiments stationed in New York city, the senior instructors of the military schools in New York city, senior officers of the 77th and 78th Divisions, O.R. The demonstrations were designed to illustrate methods of instruction as well as the results to be desired. About seventy-five officers from the National Guard and Reserve, as well as numbers of Regular officers, witnessed the demonstrations.

**THE** statement which has appeared in a number of newspapers that Pvt. Dan Edwards of the 1st Division, A.E.F., was the only American in the World War to win both the Congressional Medal of Honor and the D.S.C., is questioned by a correspondent who, in a letter to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, says:

"I know of at least one other man who shares this distinction, and I am of the opinion that there are three or four others. However, the particular man I have in mind is Lt. Comdr. Joel T. Boone, Med. Corps, U.S.N., who was attached to the Marines during the late war as a battalion surgeon. His other decorations include two wound chevrons, the French War Cross with Palm and the Italian War Cross." Pvt. Edwards has been selected to unveil the 1st Division Memorial at Washington, Oct. 4.

## 27TH INFANTRY DIVISION

**THE** entire 174th Infantry, N.Y.N.G., Col. W. R. Pooley, was assembled in the Buffalo armory on May 2 for the first time since its return from France in 1919. Co. E of Jamestown, which boasts many prominent Army officers among its veterans, and Co. I of Olean made the trip by train and were quartered in the Buffalo armory over night, returning the next day. The Niagara Falls and Tonawanda companies came by inter-urban trolley, returning shortly after the ceremonies.

A review was held for the veterans of past wars, headed by the G.A.R. Upon the latter's arrival on the drill floor with their colors, a salute was fired by the Howitzer Company. This was followed by a short drill by that organization under Capt. Kline. Next came a guard mount by Co. G, 1st Lt. LeRoy Smith, adjutant, followed by close order drill by Cos. A, E and L, and setting up exercises by Co. I.

In the review all the Grand Army veterans marched around the troops amid thundering applause from the spectators. Some of them had gone out with the 21st N.Y. Volunteers in '61, the 74th's Civil War designation, and all made complimentary remarks upon the appearance of the men. Col. Budd, the oldest living veteran of the regiment, presented individual and team prizes in marksmanship and recruiting just prior to the march off in mass. A reception was held after the ceremonies for the officers and guests of the regiment, with dancing for all present in the Grand Court.

## 27TH INFANTRY DIVISION

**BRIG. GEN. EDWARD J. WEST-COTT**, The Adjutant General of New York, reviewed the 71st Infantry, N.Y.N.G., Col. J. H. Wells, in its armory in New York city, April 30, and was warmly welcomed. The general, who has accepted a number of reviews in different parts of the state, was highly impressed with the fine display of the 71st.

## 32D INFANTRY DIVISION.

**THE** Wisconsin National Guard will send a team to the National Match this year for the first time since 1915. A rifle camp will be held at the Wisconsin military reservation, Camp Douglas, Wis., from June 9 to 14, to train company

coaches. Four men will be sent from each unit armed with the rifle. An officers' school for all field and staff officers and one from each other unit will be held at the reservation from June 2 to 7.

Dates for the annual encampment are: July 12 to 26, 64th Infantry Brigade, 105th Cavalry, 22d Cavalry Division Headquarters units, 32d M.P. Co., Co. A, 107th Engrs.; July 27 to Aug. 10, 120th Field Artillery, 1st Battalion, 121st Field Artillery, 32d Division Train.

## 44TH INFANTRY DIVISION.

**A** MOST spectacular and impressive event in New York city, on the night of May 7, was the review of the 165th Infantry (69th), Col. John J. Phelan, in the armory, by His Eminence Patrick Cardinal Hayes, Archbishop of New York. It was the first public appearance of Cardinal Hayes at a ceremony since his elevation to the cardinalate, and the armory was jammed, an extra police force being required to control the crowds which sought admission.

As the Cardinal in his purple robe, accompanied by prominent members of the priesthood, took his place at the reviewing point, he was received with all the honors due his rank, and the armory rang with applause. It was a spectacular sight, as the Cardinal passed around the lines to inspect the regiment. After the review Col. Phelan made an address to Cardinal Hayes, in which he referred to the great interest the Cardinal had taken in the regiment, composed mainly of men of Irish ancestry, and of the Roman Catholic faith. In replying to the address in a strong, clear voice, the Cardinal referred to the splendid record of the regiment in all the wars it had participated in, and the training of the officers and men, he said, will make them soldiers of the cross as well as of the flag. The Cardinal then blessed the battle streamers recently awarded the regiment by the War Department and representing major engagements in the Civil War and World War, and numerous minor actions in which the regiment bore such a notable part. The streamers were attached to the pike of the regimental colors by the Cardinal.

The regiment, which made a very fine appearance and had a large turnout, wore its new coat-of-arms on the uniform collar for the first time since its authorization by the War Department.

Col. Phelan, commanding officer, was host to many notables and Army officers, National Guard and Reserve officers during the review.

## THE Q.M. CORPS

**THE** Surplus Property Division, office of the Q.M. General, was taken over this week by Lt. Col. William O. Smith, Q.M.C. Col. Smith relieves Lt. Col. A. B. Warfield, Q.M.C., who has been assigned to duty as Q.M. at Fort Benning.

**IN** addition to his present duties as chief, Administrative Division, office of the Q.M. General, Maj. Drury K. Mitchell, Q.M.C., has been assigned as assistant to the liaison officer for war planning, this office.

**FROM** April 24 to May 8, Capt. Clayton E. Emig, Q.M.O.R.C., has been assigned to active duty under Lt. Col. William R. Gibson, Q.M.C., for training in connection with procurement activities.

**PROCUREMENT** plans for the service shoe in event of a sudden emergency, which have just been completed by the Boston Quartermaster Intermediate Depot, call for the production of 35,700,000 pairs of this type of shoe in a twelve-month period, of which the New England area will receive an allocation for the production of 10,740,000 pairs. In the survey of the shoe factories in the Boston area, each factory was given a percentage of the quantity based on its normal capacity.

**MAJ. GEN. W. H. HART**, the Quartermaster General, has expressed himself as immensely gratified at the number of constructive suggestions received by him as a result of his letter to all Reserve and National Guard quartermasters whose names are filed in his office. This letter, which went out on April 15 last, was the first of a series to be continued fortnightly. Hundreds of replies were received.

## WEST POINT WINS FIRST GAME IN POLO MEET

**WITH** Crow and Scott starring, the West Point polo four galloped to an easy victory over the Cornell team in the opening engagement of the inter-collegiate tournament at Fort Hamilton, N.Y., on May 3. The final score was 12 to 2. Scott scored 5 goals, 4 of which were made in the second period within a space of five minutes. When Scott stopped scoring Crow took the ball and tallied four times. Moon of the Army scored twice and Murtaugh once. The first goal of the tournament was scored by Moon at the end of four minutes. No other score occurred until the second period, when Scott cut loose and rode all over the field, scoring almost at will. Crow did the scoring in the fourth and fifth. In the final period the Army defense worked to perfection and resisted all the frantic efforts of the big red team to break through.

The box of honor was occupied by Maj. Gen. Robert L. Bullard, U.S.A., commanding the 2d Corps Area. Other guests included Maj. Gen. F. W. Sladen, U.S.A., Superintendent of the U.S. Military Academy; Brig. Gen. Palmer E. Pierce, Brig. Gen. W. S. Graves, U.S.A., and Rear Adm. Charles P. Plunkett, commandant of the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

The Army team will meet Yale in the second game of the tournament, on May 10, Yale having defeated Pennsylvania Military College on May 6.

In the opening game of the handicap tournament at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., on May 1, Fort Bragg easily defeated Chattanooga, on Steele Field, by the score 11-4, and did not need the two goals conceded them by Chattanooga in handicap. The team work and accurate hitting was quite noticeable on the part of the Bragg players, while Chattanooga failed both respects. For Bragg Lts. Williams and Baker starred, while Capt. Maxwell shone for Chattanooga.

In the second game of the tournament played on the following day, the Fort Oglethorpe Yellow Jackets defeated Fort McPherson 11-7. In this game the visiting team received a handicap of four goals, and with these coupled with three earned ones, kept the lead until the seventh period, when the Yellow Jackets, with Capt. Lawrence and Lt. Donaldson pressing the attack, swept on to a 11-7 victory. For McPherson the playing of Lts. Bruner and Parmley was particularly noticeable.

On May 3 Fort McPherson finally eliminated the Chattanooga team from the handicap tournament by defeating them "in the circle" by the score 11-10. Starting out with a handicap lead of six goals, McPherson proceeded to add to this, and soon had a comfortable margin at 11-2. In the fifth and sixth periods, however, Chattanooga scored six goals and two more in the remaining periods, but were unable to go further and just after the final whistle McPherson tallied another score which, however did not count. The playing on the part of the McPherson team was a surprise to everyone, and Lts. Bruner and Parmley and Maj. Jones led in their play and scoring.

Capt. Maxwell and Col. Kimball were the bulwark of the Chattanooga team.

On Sunday, May 4, Fort Bragg met and defeated the Fort Oglethorpe Purples in the ninth period by the score 8-7.

The game was fast and furious throughout, and interest and excitement waxed high until the deciding goal was scored in the ninth period by Lt. Gross, who also collided with one of the goal posts and was hurled from his pony in this final effort which won the game.

For Bragg the team work and playing of Lt. Williams and Baker were outstanding while Maj. Foster and Lt. Dewey were the features for the Purples.

The victory put Fort Bragg in the finals which were played on Wednesday, May 7.

## GEN. AULTMAN VISITS U. OF INDIANA'S R.O.T.C.

**BRIG. GEN. DWIGHT E. AULTMAN**, U.S.A., commander of the 5th Corps Area, visited Bloomington, Ind., a few days ago for the purpose of reviewing the R.O.T.C. unit, Indiana University. A formal review of the cadets was held. During his visit, Gen. Aultman addressed a convocation on university students and members of the faculty. He also was entertained at a banquet by the American Legion.



## BRIDGEPORT WINS ALL NAVY RIFLE MATCHES

**Crew Makes Clean Sweep of  
Events Opened to Men  
and Officers**

### PRAISED BY ADMIRAL

THE U.S.S. Bridgeport, Capt. R. Drace White, U.S.N., commanding, made a clean sweep of all the rifle matches open to officers and men of the Navy held at Guantanamo during the stay of the Scouting Fleet in southern waters.

Three matches were fired: The Auckland Cup match, between teams of officers only; the Ship's Team match, between teams made up of officers and men; and the Enlisted Men's match, between teams of enlisted men only.

The prize for the first mentioned match is the Auckland Cup, which was presented to the U.S. Fleet by the citizens of Auckland, New Zealand, on the occasion of the visit of the U.S. Fleet to that port during the world encircling cruise, 1908.

It is a permanent challenge trophy required to be fired for annually in the fleet; also between teams of our Navy and any challenging team from the commonwealth of Australia and New Zealand. The cup, however, is to remain in the United States Navy.

In addition to the cup, each member of the winning team was awarded a gold medal by the commander, Scouting Fleet.

The winning team was made up of Capt. R. Drace White, Lt. Comdr. Eugene E. Wilson and Lyell S. Pamperin, and Ens. Willard J. Suits, U.S.N.

The prize for the Ship's Team match was the Department's silver cup and money prizes to the members of the winning team. This is a new cup, and this is the first time it has been competed for. The members of the Bridgeport's team were Lt. Comdr. E. E. Wilson, Ens. W. J. Suits, Chief Mach. Mate J. B. Smith, Mach. Mate 1c, J. T. Staley, Gunner's Mate 1c, G. Bier, Btsn. Mate 1c, J. B. Morphew, Water Tender 1c, R. Bushkovsky, Mach. Mate 2c, E. C. Edgar, all U.S.N.

The Enlisted Men's match was an event of the fleet athletic schedule. The prize was a money prize and a gold medal for each member of the winning team.

The Bridgeport's team was made up as follows: Chief Mach. Mate J. B. Smith, Mach. Mate 1c, J. T. Staley, Btsn. Mate 1c, J. B. Morphew, Gunner's Mate 1c, G. Bier, Water Tender 1c, R. Bushkovsky, Eng. 1c, R. H. McIntruff, Mach. Mate 2c, E. C. Edgar, Elec. Mate 3c, H. B. Bishop, all U.S.N.

On April 22 Vice Adm. McCully, commanding the Scouting Fleet, made formal presentation of the Auckland Cup and the money prizes to the winning teams on board the Bridgeport (the other prizes were not ready) before the officers and crew at general muster. He complimented the teams on their complete and sweeping victory.

## COMPETITIVE EXAMS. FOR QUARTERMASTER CORPS

CIRCULAR LETTER No. 20, office of the Quartermaster General, outlining the scope of the competitive examination for enlisted men of the Quartermaster Corps which will be held beginning Oct. 7, 1924, was given out this week by the War Department. The vacancies to be filled are in the grades of master and technical sergeant (supply, bakers and cooks, and motor transportation), and staff sergeant (supply, bakers and cooks, motor transportation and packmaster).

According to Circular 20, the examination will be composed of two parts: that is, educational and professional; and professional for staff sergeant (packmaster) only. The subjects included in the educational examination are geography of the United States, common arithmetic through decimal fractions, elementary history of the United States, logarithms and elementary algebra for motor transportation only, penmanship and spelling. To qualify professionally each applicant must demonstrate both orally and in written work a satisfactory knowledge of his particular branch.

In submitting their applications for

permission to take the examination, which should be in the office of the Quartermaster not later than Aug. 1, 1924, the candidates should also enclose a statement of their service, including non-commissioned grades held, commissioned service, if any, and the duties performed. In forwarding the applications of the candidates commanding officers will furnish a statement pertaining to the moral fitness of applicants to perform the duties of the grade in which they will be examined. The Quartermaster at each post and station where applicants present themselves will conduct the examination in accordance with the examining board's instructions, which board will be appointed by the Quartermaster General of the Army.

## SCOUTING FLEET PLANES COVER 180,000 MILES

WITH a total of 180,000 miles of flying to their credit in operations ranging from the mouth of Chesapeake Bay to the Virgin Islands in the West Indies, the Aircraft Squadrons of the Scouting Fleet, consisting of the scouting and torpedo plane squadrons, arrived at their home base in Hampton Roads last week.

Officers and men were tired but enthusiastic over the work that had been accomplished during the winter maneuvers. "The men are a little tired, but the planes and engines are in good shape and we could go out again at once if necessary," was the comment of the senior officer of the squadrons.

The squadrons flew into their home port headed by the PN-7, flag plane of the air detachment, which has been operating with the fleet on an experimental basis. She had made the last leg of the return flight, from Charleston to Hampton Roads, with a load of 16,000 pounds at a speed of 95 miles per hour. The engines have been run for 175 hours without an overhaul and were reported as in perfect condition, which is considered a remarkable performance.

One of the outstanding features of the entire operations is the fact that not a single fatality or serious accident to personnel occurred and but one plane met with serious damage.

The planes which left Hampton Roads in January numbered twenty-five of the following types: 12 F-5-L's, two H-16's and one PN-7, all scouting and patrol types, and eleven DT torpedo and bombing planes. Twenty-one planes returned to Hampton Roads, the others having been transferred to other stations and units.

## ASKS RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE CURRY BILL

IN a letter to Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, Representative J. J. McSwain, who has been very active in the support of the Curry bill (H.R. 7072) before the Military Committee, a request is made for some recommendations for legislation for the commissioned chief and warrant officers. Mr. McSwain calls attention to what he claims is a lack of harmony in the statements that have been made relative to the Navy Department's policy on the legislation. In conclusion, Mr. McSwain declares that if the Department cannot support the Curry bill it should submit a policy by which twenty per cent. of the vacancies in the grade of ensign should be allotted to the enlisted men of the Navy of three or more years' service. He seems to favor what he calls "the Army system" of promotion from the ranks. Mr. McSwain's letter also quotes from the last annual report of the Bureau of Navigation:

"The Service is very short of machinists, and the number of petty officers applying for examination for this rank was very disappointing. The impression prevails that these petty officers prefer to transfer to the Fleet Reserve when they become eligible instead of accepting appointments as warrant officers. Modification of the qualifications of those considered eligible to take the examination for warrant officers have been made to meet the existing conditions. Congress should be requested to amend the present pay laws by which men appointed from the enlisted ratings to warrant grades lose the benefit of their longevity service. They should receive the benefits of all service. At present in many cases eligible chief petty officers are reduced materially in their rates of pay, which is a very great detriment to such competent and desirable men being appointed."

## AIR DEMONSTRATION AT LAKEHURST FIELD

**Shenandoah to Take Part in  
Carnival to Be Held  
by the Navy**

### 100,000 VISITORS EXPECTED

THE air demonstration at the Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, N.J., May 31, promises to be the biggest thing of the kind ever attempted in this country. The Navy Department has concentrated all lighter-than-air activities of the Navy at this station, making the station, with all its combined activities, the greatest in the world.

To inform and interest the general public it is planned to demonstrate all methods of air conveyance on May 31. Visitors will have opportunity to witness flights of the Shenandoah, as well as blimps, kite balloons, free balloons, comic balloons, parachutes, etc. In addition, all heavier-than-air transportation will be demonstrated by different types of airplanes.

Lt. "Al" Williams, U.S.N., the world's champion speed flyer, with a record of 268 miles per hour, and Lt. David Rittenhouse, U.S.N., who won the international seaplane race from England, France and Italy last year, will take part. Other famous pilots will demonstrate their special stunts.

Special trains will be run to the hangar from New York, Newark, Jersey City, etc., and from Camden and Atlantic City.

The program lasts from 10.30 a.m. to 4 p.m., and includes parachute drops from kite balloons, free balloon flights, flights of Shenandoah, a blimp picking up a man without landing, formation flying of five planes, a stunt formation of three planes, rolling and side-slipping in synchronism.

Comdr. J. H. Klein, jr., U.S.N., the commanding officer, states that he expects fully 100,000 visitors to the station. Admission is free. Meet your friends at the air demonstration.

## PRACTICE MOBILIZATION PLANS NEAR COMPLETION

PLANS being perfected by the War Department for the practice mobilization of the Organized Reserve, in co-operation with the Regular Army and National Guard, are nearing completion.

The Reserve Officers' Association has taken up the matter and unit mobilization plans for company organizations prepared by Lt. Col. J. A. Baer, U.S.A., instructor in the Army War College, are published in the current issue of the Reserve Officer, official organ of the association. The plans include a practice preparation for M-Day, to include completion of the training cadre and preparations to receive selective service men, as well as organization, administration and training of the company.

It is expected that the practice mobilization will be carried out on Sept. 12. This is the day preceding the scheduled retirement of Gen. Pershing from active service, and the mobilization is contemplated as a tribute to the work of the Chief of Staff in perfecting the organization of the Reserve.

## ARMY TEAM IN RECORD BREAKING POWER TESTS

THE first of a series of official Army tests, to judge the pulling power of horses and mules, was held at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, April 18 and 19.

At the request of Maj. Gen. William J. Snow, Chief of Field Artillery, U.S.A., these tests were conducted by the Horse Association of America, and the Iowa Experiment Station. The apparatus used in testing the pulling power of the animals entered in the test was the tractive dynamometer, invented by Prof. E. V. Collins, of the Iowa Experiment Station, Ames, Iowa. This same apparatus was used in the pulling tests at the National Horse Show, New York, and also at the Iowa State Fair.

In the tests at Fort Des Moines, the dynamometer was, for the first time since its invention, moved when set at its maximum of 4,100 pounds tractive pull, which is equivalent to starting a load of

26½ tons (53,000 pounds) on granite block pavement. However, it required six powerful artillery horses to move the dynamometer when set at this maximum. This same team also developed a tractive pull of 3,000 pounds (23½ tons) over a distance of 55 feet for 8 3-5 seconds, developing 41.86 horsepower.

Using four-mule teams from the escort wagons, service section, a tractive pull of 2,600 pounds was developed by the first four animals, hitched tandem in two pairs. They maintained this pull over a distance of 27½ feet, and the pull represented the energy necessary to start a load of 33,600 pounds on granite block pavement. However, they moved so slowly that they developed only 2.74 horsepower per mule, in contrast to the 6.97 horsepower per animal developed by the horses. However, the chief factor to be taken under consideration is the total load the team can pull in an emergency, regardless of rapidity of movement.

## TO GIVE NAVY OFFICERS CIVIL ENGINEERS' COURSE

THE board appointed to select three officers of the line of the Navy for post-graduate training in civil engineering with a view to their being transferred later to the Civil Engineer Corps has made its report, which has been approved by the Secretary of the Navy. About sixty applications were considered and the following three ensigns were chosen:

Class of 1922—Ens. Beauford W. Fink, jr., and Henry P. Needham.

Class of 1923—Ens. John R. Perry. These officers will be ordered to the Post-Graduate School at Annapolis for a one-year course beginning July 1, 1924, which will be followed by a two-year course in civil engineering at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N.Y.

A board for the selection of medical officers of the Navy for promotion will be convened in Washington, D.C., on or about June 24. There will probably be two captains and six commanders to be selected. The Selection Board will be composed of the following medical officers: Rear Adm. A. M. D. McCormick, Capt. Charles E. Riggs, Arthur W. Dunbar, James C. Pryor, Holton C. Curl, Lt. Victor S. Armstrong, recorder.

## RESERVE OFFICERS' ASSN.

THE California Department of the Reserve Officers' Association was organized on April 15 at Santa Barbara, Calif., and bids fair to be one of the most active departments in the Association. Lt. Richard A. Martinsen, O.R.C., called the meeting and more than 200 Reserve officers responded. The following officers were elected:

Maj. Alexander C. Soper, Cav. Res., San Marcos Building, Santa Barbara, president; Lt. Col. Roy P. Tisdale, A.S. Res., Los Angeles, first vice president; Capt. William J. Brady, C.A. Res., San Francisco, second vice president; Maj. John F. Cross, Inf. Res., Sacramento, third vice president; Lt. Charles W. Sheely, 1217 State street, Santa Barbara, secretary; Lt. Frazee J. Young, 403 San Marcos Building, Santa Barbara, treasurer.

AN elaborate program for May 23 and 24 is being planned for the Lancaster county unit of the Reserve Officers' Association, Lincoln, Neb., in co-operation with Maj. Gen. George B. Duncan, U.S.A. They have secured the assistance of the American Legion, the Naval Reserve, the State University, the National Guard, and the Chamber of Commerce. A troop of Cavalry, a battery of Field Artillery, and a flight of airplanes, all from Fort Riley, will participate, while the R.O.T.C. regiment from the University will also take part. There will be a big military parade on May 23, and the R.O.T.C. will hold its annual competitive drill the following day.

THE 9th Alabama District Chapter of the Reserve Officers' Association held a meeting on May 2 in Birmingham, at which time Maj. W. V. M. Robertson, jr., commanding the 106th Observation Squadron, Alabama National Guard, was the principal speaker. The officers assembled listened to addresses by Maj. Gen. James G. Harbord and Brig. Gen. John Ross Delafield, national president, which were broadcast by radio.



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The first part of this order was printed on page 880, in the issue of May 3.

Sergt. C. E. Warren, 30th Inf., to duty with California N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Infantry.

Maj. R. C. F. Goetz, 6th F.A., is detailed in I.G.D. Sept. 25, to Washington Sept. 25 to commanding General District of Washington for duty.

Capt. R. H. Wooten, A.S., to Washington June 15, to Chief of Air Service for duty in his office.

1st Lt. P. E. Burrows, A.S., to Middletown, Pa., June 15, for duty.

Capt. E. C. W. Davis, F.A., is attached to 16th F.A., Fort Sill, for duty with that regiment until Sept. 5, and then proceed to Washington, to Chief of Field Artillery for duty in his office.

Maj. O. H. Saunders, Inf., report to C.O. 17th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, on June 1 for duty until Aug. 15, then resume duties at General Staff School.

1st Lt. H. Spear, Q.M.C., to duty with O.R. 8th Corps Area.

Maj. J. Y. Chisum, A.S., July 1, to duty with O.R. 9th Corps Area, with the non-divisional group, San Francisco.

Officers of Infantry to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Wofford College, Spartanburg, S.C.: Capt. J. R. Boatwright, 4th Inf.; J. W. Starkey, 9th Inf.

Maj. R. L. Tilton, C.A.C., is detailed in I.G.D., and to Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 27, for duty.

The transfer of 2d Lt. R. B. Evans, A.S., to the Cavalry on April 24, with rank from June 12, 1923, is announced. He is assigned to 12th Cavalry, Fort Ringgold, Texas, for duty.

1st Lt. H. J. Juzek, V.C., from treatment at Fitzsimons General Hospital, to proper station, Fort Robinson.

Lt. Col. F. G. Kellond, Inf., July 1, to Washington, to Chief of Infantry for duty in his office.

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Maj. R. D. Brown, C.A.C., from Paris, France, Aug. 24, and to duty as student Coast Artillery School, Fort Monroe.

The promotion of the following officers is announced, with date of rank as noted in 1924: Infantry—Capt. P. D. Parkinson to maj., March 26; 1st Lt. W. G. Burt to capt., March 17; 1st Lt. C. M. Walton to capt., March 21; 1st Lt. G. L. Hartman and T. Thomas to capt., March 25; 1st Lt. H. N. Burkhalter to capt., March 26; 2d Lt. S. Foss to 1st lt., March 20; 2d Lt. E. M. Starr to 1st lt., March 22; 2d Lt. H. A. Brown to 1st lt., March 28. Each officer will remain on his present duties.

Maj. B. O. Lewis, O.D., Aug. 22 to Washington, to Chief of Ordnance for duty in his office.

Maj. A. B. Quinton, jr., O.D., to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for duty.

Col. A. Aloe, Inf., to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment.

Maj. J. L. Schley, C.E., to station at Galveston, Texas.

2d Lt. J. B. Medaris, 29th Inf., to New York city and sail about Sept. 3 for C.Z. for duty.

Capt. R. L. Shoemaker, Inf., to New York city and sail about Sept. 3 for C.Z. for duty.

2d Lt. R. B. Johnston, Inf., to New York city and sail about Sept. 3 for C.Z. for duty.

2d Lt. J. D. Box, 29th Inf., to New York city and sail about Sept. 3 for C.Z. for duty.

Lt. Col. E. H. McClure, S.O.R.C., to active duty May 29, to Washington for training.

Capt. R. D. Burdick, C.E., to duty as instructor Ohio N.G., Cleveland.

1st Lt. F. R. Undritz and 2d Lt. J. J. Billo, Inf., to San Francisco and sail about Aug. 1 to Manila for duty.

1st Lt. K. Broadus, 26th Cav., is assigned to 10th Cav., Fort Huachuca, Ariz., from foreign service.

Capt. A. W. Howard, 26th Cav., is assigned to 1st Cavalry Div., 8th Corps Area, for duty.

Capt. W. R. Stickman, Cav., to San Francisco and sail about Aug. 1 for Manila.

2d Lt. F. W. Cray, 16th F.A., to New York city and sail about Sept. 3 for Canal Zone for duty.

Officers relieved from detail as a member of G.S.C. July 1, and will comply with the provisions of Par. 22, S.O. 54, W.D., March 5, 1924: Col. J. B. Allison (S.C.), L. B. Kromer (Cav.), L. Halstead (Inf.), E. A. Hickman (F.D.); Lt. Col. J. W. Gulick (C.A.C.), W. C. Shiller (Inf.); Maj. L. H. Watkins (C.E.), T. Miller (Cav.).

Col. J. R. Thomas, jr. (F.A.), from detail as a member of the G.S.C. July 1, and will comply with provisions of Par. 22, S.O. 54, W.D., March 5, 1924.

Maj. A. R. Chaffee, G.S. (Cav.), from detail as a member of G.S.C. at such time as will enable him to comply with Par. 22, S.O. 54, W.D., March 5, 1924.

Capt. LeR. H. Lohmann, C.A.C., June 15 to New York city and sail about Sept. 3 for Canal Zone for duty.

Maj. H. A. Dargue, A.S., to Bolling Field, D.C., for duty.

Officers of Infantry from assignment to the regiment specified July 1, and to Fort Leavenworth, Disciplinary Barracks, for duty: Capt. I. H. Engleman, 24th Inf.; 1st Lt. C. W. Pence, 9th Inf.

Lt. Col. C. E. Delaplane, Inf., to Fort Benning, Ga., Infantry School, for duty on school staff.

Maj. M. J. Gunner, Inf., to Fort Benning, to Infantry board for duty.

Maj. R. G. Powell, C.E., July 15 to Providence, R.I., for station.

The following officers from detail as members of G.S.C. July 1, and will comply with the provisions of Par. 3, S.O. 70, W.D., March 24, 1924: Maj. C. Lynn (A.G.), J. L. Benedict (Inf.), C. F. Thompson (Inf.), J. P. Smith (C.A.C.).

## LATE ORDERS FOR THE ARMY

## MILITARY SOCIETIES

## FIFTH REUNION OF ST. NAZAIRE ASSOCIATION

The fifth annual dinner and reunion of the St. Nazaire Association was held on April 26 at the Army and Navy Club of America, New York city. Among the Washington guests who attended the reunion were His Excellency, Jules J. Jusserand, Ambassador of France, and Maj. Gen. W. H. Hart, Q.M. General of the Army. Other guests were M. Gaston Liebert, director of the French Bureau of Information in the United States; the Rt. Rev. Herbert Shipman, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Dabney of Boston and John H. Schouten from Detroit. R. Cholmeley-Jones was chairman of the dinner committee.

The invocation was pronounced by Bishop Shipman. An address by the French Ambassador was followed by informal talks. The Association numbers many Regular Army, Reserve and National Guard officers among its membership, and it is contemplated by the Association to erect a suitable memorial near the famous clock in the main square of St. Nazaire, which is well remembered by the thousands of American soldiers who passed through this seaport during the war. Quartermaster motion pictures of St. Nazaire were also exhibited.

## BROADCASTING MESSAGE ON PREPAREDNESS

The Military Intelligence Association of the 6th Corps Area broadcast a message of preparedness at its monthly meeting April 30 at the Oak Park Arms Hotel in Oak Park, a suburb of Chicago.

Two addresses, one by Maj. Gen. Harry Hale, commanding officer 6th Corps Area, and the other by Miss Louise Wells, national president of the Women's Overseas Service League, delivered to the Reserve officers who comprise the Association and their guests, were broadcast from the hotel.

In addition to Gen. Hale and Miss Wells, the meeting, which was presided over by Capt. C. B. Hopkins, was addressed by Lt. Col. William B. Graham, who spoke on the objects and purposes of the Association.

The great dining hall of the hotel was reserved for the Association and was comfortably filled by the number of officers and their guests. Departing from the usual custom, ladies were present at the meeting, and all official business was dispensed with.

## CHICAGO CHAPTER, Q.M.A.

The Chicago Chapter of the Quartermaster Association held a luncheon in the rooms of the Traffic Club, Hotel LaSalle, Chicago, on April 26, with sixty-four members and guests present. The meeting was presided over by Brig. Gen. R. E. Wood, president of the Chapter.

After the luncheon Capt. J. Biggar, Q.M.C., of the Chicago Depot, and Lt. Col. L. H. Britton, Q.M.O.R.C., of St. Paul, Minn., spoke on "Industrial Mobilization." Maj. Robert M. Littlejohn spoke about the activities of the Quartermaster Corps Subsistence School. Lt. Louis Fanie of the French army, a student at the Subsistence School, spoke very highly of the training received. Other speakers were Capt. D. L. Knoll, Q.M.C.; Col. Clifford Game, commanding officer of the Chicago Depot; Capt. F. S. Morrill, 65th Cav. Div., and Col. Otto H. Goldstein, Reserve Q.M.C.

## M.O.L.L.U.S.

At the annual meeting of the Michigan Commandery, M.O.L.L.U.S., in Detroit on May 1 the following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

Commander, N. C. Thomas; senior vice commander, H. L. Lyster; junior vice commander, George L. Canfield; recorder, Charles A. Coolidge; registrar, Arthur S. Hampton; chancellor, C. F. Heyerman; treasurer, H. D. Jenks; chaplain, L. A. Smith. Members of the council, G. C. Wetherbee, G. Dingwell and H. S. Starkey, Detroit; F. R. McCreery, Flint; Henry B. Landon, Bay City.

## ANNUAL BANQUET OF NATIONAL SOJOURNERS CLUB

The annual banquet of the National Sojourners Club, to be held at Columbia Country Club, Washington, D.C., at 7 p.m. on June 10, promises to be another outstanding Sojourners event. The principal speaker will be Hon. Arthur M. Free, member of Congress from California.

## COMING EVENTS

May 10—Reunion of former officers, 7th Division, Atlanta, Ga.

Reunion dinner and smoker of the 4th Division, Yale Club, New York city.

May 12—Bi-weekly luncheon, New York Chapter, M.O.W.W., Stewart's Restaurant, 30 Park place, New York city.

May 19—Monthly meeting, D.C. Medical Officers, Washington, D.C.

May 29, 30 and 31—Second annual Horse Show at Fort Sill, Okla.

May 31—Reunion of Graduates of U.S. Naval Academy, at the Academy, Annapolis, Md.

June 12—Commencement and alumni reunion, U.S.M.A., West Point, N.Y.

Oct. 2, 3 and 4—National Convention, M.O.W.W., Boston, Mass.

Officers of Cavalry relieved from assignment to the regiment specified July 1, and will then proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Disciplinary Barracks, for duty: Capt. T. McF. Cockrill, 2d Cav.; 1st Lt. F. W. Drury, 13th Cav.

1st Lt. F. P. Kenny, A.S., to New York city and sail about June 13 for the Panama C.Z. for duty.

The promotion of the following officers is announced, with date of rank as noted in 1924: Q.M. Corps—Lt. Col. J. Hayes to col., April 1. Medical Corps—Capt. J. M. Willis to maj., March 26. Vet. Corps—1st Lts. A. C. Wight and E. L. Nye to capt., March 24. Corps of Engrs.—1st Lt. M. J. Noyes to capt., March 20; 1st Lt. S. L. Damon to capt., March 25. Cav.—2d Lt. D. W. Hale to 1st lt., March 21. F.A.—Capt. J. H. Wallace to maj., April 1; Capt. R. Marsh to maj., April 3. Each officer named will remain on his present duties.

Maj. H. L. Green, Q.M.C., American Graves Registration Service, Paris, will assume duty as chief of that service, in addition to his other duties as constructing Q.M., upon the relief of Lt. Col. R. Sterrett, Q.M.C.

Maj. R. W. Riefkohl, Q.M.C., from Paris, France, Sept. 1, to Fort Hamilton, N.Y., for duty.

Maj. F. F. Scowden, Q.M.C., from Paris, France, Sept. 1, and is assigned to the 1st Division for duty.

Maj. R. L. Gaugler, O.D., June 15 to duty with O.R., 3d Corps Area, to non-divisional group, Harrisburg, Pa.

Lt. Col. P. S. Golderman, F.A., to duty with the O.R., with station at Omaha, Neb.

Maj. O. Ward, F.A., to duty with the O.R. as executive officer, 383d F.A., 103d Div., Denver, Colo.

Lt. Col. R. Sterrett, Q.M.C., from Paris to Washington, D.C., for duty.

Capt. G. A. King, Cav., to duty as an instructor Idaho N.G., and to Boise for station.

1st Lt. H. Swenholz, C.E., to duty as an instructor Indiana N.G., and to Gary for station.

Lt. Col. F. S. Bowen, F.A., to duty with the O.R., 98th Div., Albany, N.Y.

Maj. E. H. Hicks, F.A., to duty with O.R., 99th Div., at Pittsburgh, Pa.

Capt. T. J. Betts, C.A.C., will sail from Manila about Sept. 4 for China, and will proceed to Peking as a student of the Chinese language.

1st Lt. W. K. McKittrick, Inf., to San Francisco from New York city about May 17; to 9th Corps Area for duty and station.

## Leaves

Two months 15 days to Maj. C. Lynn, G.S., about June 1; 1 month to Capt. G. F. Bloomquist, Inf., about Aug. 12, with permission to leave the U.S.; 1 month 15 days to 1st Lt. C. B. Lober, A.S., about Aug. 15; 1 month 20 days to Maj. L. B. Row, Inf., about July 1; 1 month 15 days to Maj. R. B. Lincoln, A.S., about July 15; 2 months to Lt. Col. W. C. Sweeney, G.S., about July 1; 2 months to Maj. B. B. Warriner, M.C., about July 1; 2 months 13 days to 2d Lt. J. B. Medaris, Inf., June 19; 3 months' sick leave to Lt. Col. N. J. Wiley, Inf., about May 10; 1 month to 2d Lt. C. B. Wahle, C.A.C., about May 24; 2 months 3 days to Maj. E. W. Niles, C.A.C., about June 1; 3 months 5 days, about June 25, to Capt. R. F. Dark, Inf.; 26 days to Capt. C. E. Hurdie, F.A., about Aug. 12.

## Retirement of Enlisted Men

Master Sergt. O. Leonard at Fort Sam Houston; 1st Sergt. W. R. Davis, 12th Inf., at Baltimore, Md.; 1st Sergt. J. N. Frisby, 19th Inf., at Hot Springs, Ark.

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Capt. A. J. Bennett, C.A.C., to duty Fort Banks, Mass.

Lt. Col. W. H. Peek, F.A., to San Francisco and sail Aug. 2 for Hawaii for duty.

2d Lt. M. M. Corpening, 18th F.A., to New York city and sail Sept. 3 for C.Z. for duty.

Officers of Infantry assigned to division specified for duty: Lt. Col. R. J. Binford to 3d Div., 9th Corps Area; Maj. W. A. Jones to 1st Div., 2d Corps Area.

Maj. H. McGeorge, O.O.R.C., to active duty May 11 Rock Is. and, Ill.

The promotion of 1st Lt. R. J. Fairfield, F.A. O.R.C., on duty at Fort Sill, to date from May 6, 1924, is announced.

Leave 2 months, upon arrival in U.S. from Hawaii, to Wnt. Oftr. M. S. Muir.

Leave for 2 months to 2d Lt. F. W. Hein, Inf., about July 5.

Leave for 1 month 15 days to Col. J. B. Allison, G.S., about July 1.

Capt. L. F. Stewart, 17th Inf., from assignment to that regiment June 15, and assigned to 3d Division, with station in Alaska.

1st Lt. E. M. Sutherland, Inf., assigned to 3d Division, with station in Alaska, for duty.

1st Lt. R. E. Alexander, 24th Inf., June 1 assigned to 65th Infantry, and will sail from New York city, Sept. 3, for Porto Rico for duty.

Capt. H. A. Austin, 38th Inf., is assigned to 65th Infantry, and to New York city and sail Sept. 3 for Porto Rico for duty.

2d Lt. E. C. Maling, 24th Inf., assigned to 65th Inf., and to New York city and sail about July 10 for Porto Rico for duty.

Master Sergt. J. P. Welsh, 3d F.A. Brig., retired at Camp Lewis.

Sergt. M. Strom, 29th Ord. Co., retired at the U.S.M.A.

Maj. E. L. Dyer, C.A.C., is detailed as instructor Maine N.G., Portland.

Capt. H. L. Littlefield, 9th Inf., Sept. 1 to

duty with O.R., 8th Corps Area, with 411th F.A., Dallas, Texas.

1st Lt. H. S. Kenyon, jr., A.S., July 1 to duty with O.R., 9th Corps Area, with non-divisional group, Cloverfield, Calif.

1st Lt. LeR. A. Whittaker, O.D. (C.A.C.), from detail in O.D. Sept. 14, and to Fort Monroe as a student.

Lt. Col. N. P. Wiley, Inf., to duty as P.M. S.T., University of Delaware, Newark.

The transfer of Capt. F. C. Mellon, Inf., to Field Art. on April 24, 1924, rank from July 1, 1920, is announced. He will remain on present duties.

Capt. H. B. Vaughan, jr., C.E., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., University of Illinois, Urbana.

Maj. A. B. Quinton, jr., O.D., June 30 to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for duty.

The promotion of the following officers is announced: Coast Art. Corps—Maj. F. Geere to lt. col., April 1, 1924; Maj. G. L. Wertenbaker to lt. col., April 3, 1924. Inf.—2d Lt. J. C. Odell to 1st lt., April 3, 1924. Each officer named will remain on present duties.

1st Lt. J. B. Newman, jr., C.E., to Fort Humphreys, Va., Sept. 10 as a student.

Maj. C. T. Hvass, E.O.R.C., to active duty May 10, Washington, D.C.

1st Lt. C. R. Hovland and 2d Lt. R. B. Lewis, O.O.R.C., May 11 to active duty Rock Island.

Capt. B. F. Hood, 26th Inf., from assignment to that regiment and to San Francisco and sail about Aug. 1 for Manila for duty.

1st Lt. L. J. Ferguson, Inf., to San Francisco and sail about Aug. 1 for Manila.

2d Lt. H. E. Smyser, 14th Inf., is assigned to 1st Division, 2d Corps Area, for duty from foreign service.

Capt. H. C. Bowman, 4th F.A., is assigned to 2d Div., 8th Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, for duty.

Capt. R. G. Mangum, 4th F.A., is assigned to 17th F.A., Fort Bragg, N.C., for duty from foreign service.

2d Lt. D. A. Rosebaum, 42d Inf., is assigned to 8th Infantry, Fort Screven, Ga., for duty from foreign service.

1st Lt. W. L. Medding, C.E., to Fort Humphreys, Va., not later than Sept. 10 as a student.

Maj. Shallenberger, G.S. (Inf.), from detail in G.S.C. July 1, and assigned to 22d Infantry for duty at Fort McPherson, Ga.

Capt. A. J. Powell, 30th Inf., from assignment to that regiment, and to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Creighton University, Omaha, Neb.

2d Lt. L. W. Boyd, 38th Inf., from assignment to that regiment, and to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Nashville Public High Schools, Tenn.

Col. T. B. Hacker, Q.M.C., July 1 to Baltimore, Md., for duty.

Capt. T. G. Poland, 28th Inf., to duty as instructor North Dakota N.G., Devils Lake.

Maj. C. D. Hartman, Q.M.C., July 1 to Fort Meyer, Va., for duty.

Officers of Field Artillery, Sept. 1, to Fort Sill, Okla., Field Artillery School, as students: 1st Lts. M. E. Scott, H. E. Cooney, L. L. Partlow.

Officers of Coast Art. Corps to duty and station as indicated: Capt. F. P. Gallagher to Fort Hancock, N.J.; J. B. Martin to 52d Regt., C.A., Fort Eustis, Va.; J. W. Barker to Fort Monroe, Va.; K. S. Purdie to Fort Monroe, Va.; J. B. Hill to instructor Coast Art. School, Fort Monroe; P. C. Hamilton to Fort Barrancas, Fla.; J. Twyman to 62d Art. (anti-aircraft), Fort Totten, N.Y.; H. Winterburn to Fort Worden, Wash.; E. H. Taliaferro, jr., to 61st Art. Batn. (anti-aircraft), Fort Monroe; A. W. Burton to Fort MacArthur, Calif.

Capt. J. P. Jacobs to Fort H. G. Wright, N.Y.; E. C. Bomar to instructor Coast Art. School, Fort Monroe; J. T. Lewis to Fort Monroe; G. W. Ricker to Fort Preble, Me.; C. S. Harris to instructor Coast Art. School, Fort Monroe; F. J. Fitzpatrick to Fort Stevens, Ore.

1st Lts. P. D. Terry and A. K. Chambers to Fort Monroe; W. G. Jeffords, jr., to Fort Barrancas, Fla.; A. P. Bruner and H. W. Lins, 61st Art. Batn. (anti-aircraft), Fort Monroe; O. Marshall to 51st Regt., C.A., Fort Eustis, Va.; M. W. Smith and O. D. Bowman to Fort Monroe; J. F. Pichel to 62d Art. (anti-aircraft), Fort Totten, N.Y.

Maj. C. W. McClure, Q.M.C., to Washington, to Q.M.G. for duty in his office.

Lt. Col. H. J. McKenney, Cav., May 10 to Army War College from Hot Springs, Ark.

Capt. R. W. Blair and 1st Lt. V. Fabian, O.O.R.C., to active duty May 11 Rock Island.

Col. E. L. Munson, M.C., to duty at headquarters 9th Corps Area, San Francisco, from foreign service.

Maj. W. G. McKay, M.C., to duty at station hospital, Fort Sam Houston, from foreign service.

Capt. H. M. Andrews, Q.M.C., to El Paso, Texas, William Beaumont General Hospital, for duty, relieving 1st Lt. C. W. Dietz, Q.M.C., who will report at Fort Bliss, Texas, for duty.

Lt. Col. E. T. Donnelly, G.S. (F.A.), from detail as member of G.S.C. July 1, and is assigned to 1st Field Artillery for duty at Fort Sill.

Lt. Col. C. F. Cox, G.S. (F.A.), from detail as member of G.S.C. July 1, and is then attached to the 1st Field Artillery, Fort Sill, for duty.

Capt. W. E. Harris, C.E., to Brooklyn, N.Y., for duty.

Lt. Col. M. A. DeLaney, M.C., July 1 to Fort Sill, Okla., for duty.

Maj. G. W. Ewell, Q.M.C., to Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., for duty.

Leave 3 months to Capt. A. W. Howard, Cav., upon arrival in U.S.



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## NAVY'S ENEMIES ALWAYS ACTIVE

THE resolution by Senator King and those by Representatives Britten and Rogers demanding a thorough investigation of the present condition of the Navy cannot fail to do an immense amount of good, if for no other reason than the fact that they will attract sufficient attention from the press of the country to lead to the people as a whole ascertaining the regrettable facts which are common knowledge to the officers of the Navy.

At the time of the Washington Arms Conference the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL persistently stated that if the American people, through their government, wished to sacrifice their naval strength, there could be no doubt of their right to do so, but, on the other hand, before committing themselves they should thoroughly understand what that sacrifice meant, as otherwise they undoubtedly would have a disagreeable awakening some day through finding our Navy without the power which they thought it had.

If there had been no further sacrifice than that demanded by the Washington Arms Conference, without any *quid pro quo* that anyone has ever been able to ascertain, the weakening of our naval power would have been alarming.

Strange to say, a psychology based on a conception of our position the reverse to the truth seemed to pervade the country, and continually found expression not only in the press but also in Congress.

Had we finished building the ships under way at the time of the conference our naval strength would have been so preponderant that the country could have felt secure and even, for the sake of economy, neglected the Navy in minor ways without appreciable danger. With a Navy just equal to that of Great Britain's, as far as capital ships were concerned, inferior to it in practically every other respect, and, relatively, weaker than before by compari-

son with Japan's navy, not only with respect to ships, but above all because of that empire's greatly strengthened position for offensive purposes in the Pacific, there was every need of the most continual vigilance, if our relative power was not steadily to decline.

Despite this fact, which should be obvious, the impression steadily gained ground in the country that the Washington Arms Conference had relatively strengthened our position and therefore made war less possible and, as a consequence, that we could relax our efforts. Even the Navy League, apparently, relapsed into a state of innocuous desuetude.

This situation was promptly taken advantage of by those advocates of extreme economy who are always willing, for the sake of an apparent gain in the present, to follow some course which in the future is going to cost many times the amount saved. The pacifists reveled in the situation. The foreign propagandists, among whom, unfortunately, are to be found a number of American citizens, made the most of the opportunity.

The steady deterioration in the battle efficiency of our fleet, throughout all its branches, which has been going on for several years was the inevitable consequence of this neglect. There has been no secret about it. Everyone who knew anything about the Navy has known it. The ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL has persistently called attention to it.

The facts are there, with the result that the proposed investigations, if carried out as they should be, will readily bring them to light.

## INCREASE THE CHAPLAINS

THE bill which is now before Congress to increase the number of chaplains and to put them on the same basis of promotion as the Medical Corps is one which will receive the support of every thinking line officer, particularly those with combat service.

Probably no one will dispute the benefit to be derived from having a chaplain at every garrison and, above all, in every general hospital.

Were it not for the fact that, apparently, so many people believe the strength of an army rests, primarily, in its matériel, it would be platitudinous to state the, to military people, axiomatic fact that the strength of an army is in direct proportion to its morale.

The morale of a soldier is based on confidence in himself, in his comrades and in his leaders. Therefore, the greater the confidence of the individual, the greater the morale of the Army.

Many men have such profound religious convictions of their own that they need no outside help. The average man, undoubtedly, is not in this fortunate position, and as a consequence, even unconsciously, inevitably is helped by the example and, if he desires it, the personal contact with the properly ordained representative of the different churches, particularly in times of sickness, danger and death.

There can be no combat officer who does not remember the great influence which a high type of chaplain undoubtedly had in the difficult moments prior to and during a combat and in the too often moments of depression immediately after a violent battle.

Anything which will better the Corps of Chaplains is desirable. The Army will profit directly by their presence and indirectly by the influence which they can bring to bear in the various churches of the country to combat the vicious propaganda which would have the fathers and mothers of our young men believe that service in the Army and Navy leads to de-

moralization of character instead of the truth that it strengthens the boys not only physically but morally.

## REMINDING MADDEN AND MCCARL OF THE CONSTITUTION

THE first day's hearing of the House Committee on Judiciary strongly emphasizes the fact, too often forgotten, or, perhaps it should be said, in many cases never even known, that the United States of America has not a parliamentary form of government.

Until recently, the lack of knowledge of this fact probably made but little difference. The operation of the budget system, however, has produced a condition which makes emphasis of this fact a necessity, unless the principles about which our Constitution was written, and on which it has been operating up to the present are to be abrogated.

Mr. Madden's efforts, as chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, to live up to the budget system are to be commended until they reach the point where he is willing to father schemes which, while perfectly proper under a parliamentary government, are not in accordance with our principles.

Mr. Madden's efforts to put the Comptroller of the Treasury in a position such that powers now being used by the heads of the various executive departments will be nullified should fail.

The Comptroller in his present position has already caused considerable annoyance to the various executive departments by interfering in matters which up to the present, apparently, have been handled by these departments.

Not only to confirm but to increase this interference, as would be the case should Mr. Madden's bill, making the Comptroller General the paymaster of the Government, pass, would inevitably deprive the executive branch of the Government of rights clearly granted by the Constitution.

## VOICE OF THE SERVICES

### A RETIRED N.C.O. ACTS

TO THE EDITOR:

THE following letter was sent recently by Post Q.M. Sergt. Peter A. Koenig, retired, on duty in Panama, to Representative George Garner of Texas:

DEAR SIR: I am very much interested in the Non-Commissioned Officers' bill (S. 2169) which has passed the Senate and reported favorably by the House Military Committee.

From the news in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL it appears that this bill is so far down on the calendar which would indicate that action may not be taken this session.

I am bringing this matter to your personal attention with an appeal that if practicable you bring this matter before Congress before the adjournment, as this bill is of the utmost importance to the Army, in view of the following facts:

There are a number of capable non-commissioned officers throughout the Army who, on March 31, 1923, were demoted through no fault of their own, but on account of the reduction of the non-com. officer personnel in the Army. This reduction affected men who have served between ten and twenty years faithfully, and whose ambition was to reach the higher grades.

If this bill is passed this session it would adjust many unjust errors that have existed in the past. It is the general opinion of all non-com. officers that if this bill were brought to the attention of Congress it would pass with no objections.

I am a resident of your district, have lived many years at Brownsville and Laredo, Texas, and expect to return to Laredo on the next boat leaving in August this year.

PETER A. KOENIG,  
Post Q.M. Sergt., U.S.A., Ret.

## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Questions having to do with military or naval matters will be answered in this department as soon as possible after their receipt. Communications must in all cases be signed, giving the correct name and address of the inquirer.

CAPT. T. R. B., C.A.C., WIS.—According to the best available information which can be obtained at the present time, you will be due for foreign service about April of 1926.

MISS LILIAN H. MARGERUM.—The following addresses, which are taken from the March Army List and Directory and the Navy Directory, are those asked in your letter: Lt. Fred G. Sherrill, F.D. 2737 Munitions Bldg., Washington, D.C.; Lt. (j.g.) Bailey Connelly, U.S.N., Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.; Lt. John B. Hughes, C.E., Corozal, Canal Zone; Chaplain B. F. Huske, U.S.N., Naval Training Station, N.O.B., Hampton Roads, Va.; Capt. John S. Mallory, F.A., 82d Field Artillery Battalion, Fort Bliss, Texas; Lt. Frederick D. Sharp, F.A., 11th F.A., Hqs. 9th Corps Area, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif. It is possible that some of these may be changed by May 10, but in that event any communication addressed to them will be forwarded.

E. B. C., PLATTSBURG BARRACKS, N.Y.—The Journal regrets to inform you that your two questions are answered in the negative. See travel pay section of the act of June 3, 1916, and also Comptroller General's decision of Dec. 13, 1917.

## LEGAL DEPARTMENT

### SMITH-LOCKHART CASE

TWO important decisions in the Smith-Lockhart bankrupt brokers' case were taken last week by the Maryland courts. The Court of Appeals handed down a decision sustaining the Baltimore court under which Smith and Lockhart were convicted under the criminal statutes. Accordingly Lockhart has been sentenced to a term of ten years in the penitentiary and Smith to six years. The evidence under which they were convicted was based almost entirely on that which came from Service claimants against the firm, and which was turned over to the prosecutors by Ansell & Bailey, attorneys for the Legal Department of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL.

This week the trustee in the bankruptcy of Smith-Lockhart Co. filed the first statement of his account as a trustee with the court. It is stated that the court will act within the next ten days, and that shortly thereafter a dividend may be expected by the Service claimants.

### SOME OPINIONS

FOLLOWING is a digest of Ansell & Bailey's opinions on various matters submitted to the Legal Department of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL:

1. In order that a claimant may have the right of appeal from the Court of Claims to the Supreme Court of the United States the claim sued on must amount to \$3,000; the Government, however, may appeal any case decided against it, irrespective of the amount involved.

2. The amount equal to six months' pay payable upon the death of an officer or enlisted man on the active list to his widow appears to be, although no authoritative judicial decision is found on the specific question, but a mere gratuity, and if such is its character, then in line with Federal decisions it does not become vested until it is actually received; accordingly, where the widow herself died before she received the gratuity, it never came into her possession nor vested as a part of her estate, and therefore is not payable to her personal representatives.

3. R.S. 1224, as amended, provides *inter alia* that no officer of the Army shall be employed on civil work or internal improvements, or be allowed to engage in the service of any incorporated company, if such extra employment requires him to be separated from his command or otherwise interferes with his military duties proper. The statute clearly applies only to officers on the active list. It has frequently been held that a leave of absence ought not to be granted for the express purpose of enabling an officer to enter upon such prohibited employment.

4. In our opinion, there is substantial support for the view that an officer or enlisted man belonging to a branch other than the Air Service assigned to duty requiring him to participate regularly and frequently in aerial flights is entitled to the prescribed increase of pay for flight duty, although the decisions of the Comptroller General are to the contrary, and hold that the general language of the statute, which appears to include all officers and men, should be limited in its meaning to members of the Air Service only.



## THE CONGRESS

## PROGRESS ON ARMY BILLS

The bill for the validation of payments of commutation of quarters, heat and light, under the act of 1918, is having quite an eventful career in the Senate and House. After the bill (S. 2299) had passed the Senate, upon the insistence of Senator King of Utah it was recalled and it is now pending on the Senate calendar. The House Committee, after an extended consideration of its bill (H.R. 6065), which is the same as the bill that was pending in the Senate, reported it out on April 29 with an amendment which is of a doubtful interpretation. The amendment provides that:

"Section 4 of the act of June 10, 1922, shall be amended to read that the term 'dependent' as used in the succeeding sections of this act shall include at all times and all places a lawful wife, and unmarried children under twenty-one years of age."

At the first reading it would appear that this was intended to include the wife and children, and exclude a dependent parent. Such an amendment, it is held, would be as unfair as the Comptroller General's decisions which the bill seeks to correct.

The House Committee on Military Affairs also reported out a bill (H.R. 8886), amending the National Defense act on provisions relating to the National Guard. Some of these provisions were contained in the first bill submitted by the Department for the amendment of the National Defense act.

The committee also reported out S.J.R. 105 in an amended form, authorizing the detail of Maj. Wallace W. Kirby, for six months, as Superintendent of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. The bill, in the form that it has come to the committee, provides that Maj. Kirby shall draw only his Regular Army pay and allowances.

## PENSION INCREASE VETOED

The Bursum bill (S. 5) for the increase of pensions to veterans and widows of the Civil, Mexican, Indian and Spanish Wars was vetoed by President Coolidge on May 3. The President said in part: "No conditions exist which justify the imposition of this additional burden upon the taxpayers. . . . The advantage of a class cannot be greater than the welfare of the nation."

## RELIEF OF FRAUDULENT ENLISTMENTS OF MINORS

The bill (S. 3241) introduced by Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas on May 5, for the relief of minors who were discharged for fraudulent enlistment on account of misrepresentation of their age during the war, has been approved by the Secretary of War. The bill provides: "That in the administration of any laws conferring rights, privileges or benefits upon honorably discharged soldiers of the U.S. Army, their widows and dependent children, a soldier who was discharged between April 6, 1917, and Nov. 11, 1918, both dates inclusive, for fraudulent enlistment on account of misrepresentation of his age, shall hereafter be held and considered to have been discharged honorably from the military service on the date of his actual separation therefrom, if his service otherwise was such as would have entitled him to an honorable discharge: Provided that no back pay or allowances shall accrue by reason of the passage of this act."

## BILLS INTRODUCED

S. 3201, Mr. McKinley.—For relief of Lt. Col. Charles Burnett, Cav.; Maj. P. R. Faymonville, O.D.; 1st Lt. W. J. Clear, Inf., and 2d Lt. T. G. Cranford, jr., C.A.C.

S. 3202, Mr. Ransdell.—For relief of Lt. (j.g.) T. J. Ryan, U.S.N.

S. 3240, Mr. Edwards.—To repeal the laws authorizing the purchase of uniforms, accoutrements and equipment from the Government at cost.

H.R. 9006, Mr. Swing.—Authorizing appointment of Kenneth K. Little as 2d lieutenant, U.S.A.

H.R. 9010, Mr. McLaughlin of Nebraska.—To regulate the pay, allowances and grades of certain officers in the U.S. Navy.

H.R. 9011, Mr. McLaughlin of Nebraska.—Providing that chief warrant officers on the active list of the Navy shall be allowed to compute their service in the same manner as is now authorized for retired warrant officers on active duty.

H.R. 9013, Mr. Smith.—To amend the Pay act of June 10, 1922.

H.R. 9079, Mr. Garber.—To extend the limitations of time upon the issuance of Medals of Honor, Distinguished Service Crosses and Distinguished Service Medals to persons who served in the Army or Navy of the United States during the Spanish War.

H. Res. 286, Mr. Britten.—Authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to furnish to the House of Representatives information concerning the U.S. Navy.

H. Res. 287, Mr. Rogers of Massachusetts.—Requesting the Secretary of the Navy to advise the House of Representatives as to the type and relative strength of the U.S. Navy as compared with Great Britain and Japan.

Col. Charles C. Walcutt, U.S.A., and Mrs. Walcutt have as their guest in Washington, their cousin, Miss Annette Walcutt of Frankfort, Ky.

Brig. Gen. Eli A. Helmick, U.S.A., and Mrs. Helmick have as their guest in Washington, Mrs. Harper, wife of Capt. Arthur Harper of the Canal Zone.

Mrs. Baldwin, wife of Col. T. A. Baldwin, jr., Air Ser., U.S.A., sailed on the Leviathan, May 3, for Paris, for a visit of six weeks with her sister, Miss Judge.

The Misses Stitt, daughters of the Surgeon General of the Navy and Mrs. E. R. Stitt, have as their guest in Washington, Mlle. Jeannot Heymans and M. Paul Heymans of Belgium.

Mrs. Johnson, wife of Col. Wait Johnson, U.S.A., has returned to Washington from Governors Island, where she was the guest of Maj. Henry W. Fleet, U.S.A., and Mrs. Fleet.

Maj. Vernon Roberts, surgeon at the National Soldiers' Home, Danville, Ill., since July, 1923, has been promoted to lieutenant colonel and transferred as surgeon to the National Soldiers' Home, Dayton, Ohio. Col. and Mrs. Roberts will leave for their new station about May 15.

The Government Club of New York city, at its meeting on May 6, announced that on Sept. 9 next it would give a farewell dinner for Gen. John J. Pershing, who is due for retirement on Sept. 13. The president of the club, Mrs. George E. Owens, said that reservations already were being received.

After spending the Easter holidays with Maj. and Mrs. McAndrew, Shirley McAndrew has returned to Mount de Sales Academy, Catonsville, Md. Pamela McAndrew, who suffered a severe injury to her knee cap, and has been a patient at Walter Reed Hospital for the past month and a half, is now improving.

Announcement was made last week by the American Remount Association as approved by the War Department, that Lt. Col. Harry N. Coates, Cav., military attaché at Vienna, Austria, has been appointed a member of the Jury of Appeals, Equestrian Games, at the VIII Olympiade. The games will be held at Paris, France, during the month of July.

For gallantry under fire at the battle of El Caney, Cuba, in 1898, while serving as a major, G. Creighton Webb, No. 640 Madison avenue, New York city, was formally presented with a citation from President Coolidge May 5 on Governors Island by Col. Julius T. Conrad, A.G.D. Maj. Webb is an alumnus of Yale, class of '76, and a member of St. Nicholas Society, Military Order of Foreign Wars, Metropolitan Club of Washington and Army and Navy Club.

Capt. Elmer T. Foss, U.S.A., and Mrs. Foss arrived at San Francisco on the transport Thomas April 21 from Manila, Capt. Foss having been assigned to the General Intermediate Depot, Fort Mason, Calif. They are living, with their two little children, Theodore Thomas, aged three years, and Nadine Elizabeth, aged seven weeks, at 1935 Clay street, San Francisco. Capt. and Mrs. Foss have received many expressions of sympathy over the death of their twenty-one-months-old son, Laurence Booth, on April 23.

Mrs. William Meade Coulling has returned from a motor trip to Westmoreland county, Va., where she went with other members of the Lee family, to visit the home of their ancestors. Stratford, the birthplace of Richard Henry Lee, of Gen. Robert E. Lee, and of many other distinguished members of that family. Stratford was built over 200 years ago. They also visited Menokin, the home of Francis Lightfoot Lee, which was built about the same time. Both Richard Henry Lee and Francis Lightfoot Lee, his brother, were signers of the Declaration of Independence.

Mr. Richard Nelson Thompson, son of Dr. and Mrs. Richard J. Thompson of 531 High street, Fall River, Mass., has been awarded by the trustees of the University of Pennsylvania, a Penfield Traveling Scholarship in International Law and Diplomacy for the ensuing year. The scholarship is for \$2,000, and Mr. Thompson intends to study in Europe, probably in Austria or Bulgaria. Besides his numerous other duties Mr. Thompson is a second lieutenant in the O.R.C. He speaks six languages and has lectured before a number of organizations regarding foreign countries.

The following medical officers, U.S. Navy, have resigned from the Service: Lts. James M. Archibald and Donald G. Rafferty.

Maj. Owen S. Albright and Capt. E. F. French, Sig. Corps, U.S.A., are on a short inspection of Signal Corps activities in the Gettysburg area.

Maj. Gen. Charles McK. Saltzman, U.S.A., who has been on an inspection trip through the Middle West, returned to Washington, May 9.

Lt. Col. Richard H. Jordan, U.S.A., and Mrs. Jordan and Mrs. James Hall Bell have left Washington for China, where Col. Jordan has been ordered for duty.

Maj. Karl Truesdell, Inf., U.S.A., who has been on duty in connection with the War Department board for providing correspondence courses, has returned to Fort Leavenworth.

Mrs. T. J. J. Christian, wife of Maj. T. J. J. Christian, 7th Field Art., U.S.A., is at present with her sister, Mrs. M. A. Elliott, jr., wife of Col. Elliott, jr., 221 Prospect street, Friendship Heights, Md. Maj. Christian is now recovering from a two months' illness from pneumonia, at the Walter Reed General Hospital.

Rt. Rev. Mgr. John P. Chidwick, rector of St. Agnes's R.C. Church, East 43d street, New York city, and chaplain of the battleship Maine, will make the principal address at the Bronx memorial service in honor of the sailors who served in the wars of this country. The service, which will be held May 18, at 152d street and Harlem River, will be under the auspices of the Maine Auxiliary 28, United Spanish War Veterans.

Lt. John B. Heffernan, U.S.N., on duty in the Information Section, Naval Intelligence, Navy Department, and Capt. John E. Wood, Engr. Corps, U.S.A., on duty as Assistant Commissioner, District of Columbia, will sail May 12 for Europe, where they will spend about four months, making a trip through Spain and France and attending the Olympian games. From "official sources, the announcement is made that there will be "no wedding bells" for either of these popular young bachelors of the Services while they are absent from duty.

Request has been made by Brig. Gen. George A. L. Dumont, the French military attaché, to attend the maneuvers which will be held by members of the graduating classes, Regular Army, National Guard and Reserve, at Fort Benning, Ga., beginning May 14 and concluding about May 24. A notable departure will be made by the Fort Benning authorities in this year's war game, in that no troops will be used. Instead, the student officers will be assigned to the thirty-four command posts which will be scattered about the reservation, battle conditions being simulated.

Brig. Gen. Charles King, who is on duty with the R.O.T.C. at St. John's Military Academy, Delafield, Wis., as professor of military science and tactics, was honored there on April 27 by being publicly awarded the Civil War Service Medal and the Victory Medal of the World War. The cadet battalion passed in review and was then formed in mass before the grandstand, where Col. R. F. Farrand, president of the academy, gave a brief summary of Gen. King's distinguished service. He then pinned the two medals on the general's breast, while the battalion presented arms. Gen. King had not received the Civil War medal because, not being regularly enlisted in that struggle, he had not considered himself entitled to it. As a boy of sixteen he acted as volunteer mounted orderly and dispatch rider with his father's command, afterward known as the Iron Brigade, in the early days of the war. He was actually Gen. Hancock's guide the first time he crossed the Potomac at the head of his brigade. It was that service which caused Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock to urge the boy's appointment to West Point by President Lincoln. The War Department considered his services as amply warranting the presentation of the medal. The Victory Medal was awarded the general for service during the World War. As his age prevented his detail to field service, he was assigned to special duty in Wisconsin in connection with the raising, equipment and training of troops. Gen. King is in his eightieth year, and is still hale and hearty and retains his deep interest in the military service.

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Mrs. Robert E. Coontz, wife of Adm. Coontz, U.S.N., sailed from New York May 8 for the Pacific coast to join the admiral, who is in command of the United States Fleet.

Col. Alvin C. Voris, U.S.A., Chief of the Personnel Section, office of the Chief Signal Officer, who was called to Neoga, Ill., on account of the serious illness of his mother, returned to Washington May 10.

Maj. Gen. W. A. Holbrook, Chief of Cavalry, U.S.A., left Washington on May 8 for a short inspection of Cavalry activities through the Middle West, and is scheduled to return about May 25.

Brig. Gen. Kenzie W. Walker, U.S.A., accompanied by Col. F. W. Coleman, F.D., attended a meeting of Finance Reserve officers at the Hotel Astor, New York city, on May 9, in connection with training activities for officers in the 2d Corps Area.

## ENTERTAINMENTS

Recent social events at Fort Porter, N. Y., include the following: Maj. C. C. McDonald, M.C., on duty in Buffalo, and Mrs. McDonald entertained at dinner April 18 for Maj. and Mrs. Pedro A. Hernandez. Mrs. Jacobson entertained at a bridge tea for her sister, Mrs. Stabins of Watertown, N.Y. Mrs. Akin entertained the Ladies' Bridge Club. Mrs. Metcalf entertained at bridge in honor of Mrs. Stabins, who was also honor guest at a tea given by Mrs. Hernandez. Lt. and Mrs. Jacobson entertained the Evening Bridge Club April 24.

Capt. and Mrs. A. L. Lerch left Little Rock, Ark., where Capt. Lerch has been instructor with the National Guard, on April 27, en route to Capt. Lerch's new station in the Philippines. Among the parties given prior to their departure were a dinner by officers on duty in Little Rock; bridge by Capt. and Mrs. D. W. Hickel, and a tea by the Ladies' Club of the Officers' Reserve Corps at the home of Maj. and Mrs. H. M. Rimmer.

A social affair of unusual interest was given at the residence of Capt. and Mrs. Douglas E. Dismukes, Portsmouth Navy Yard, N.H., Tuesday evening, April 29, in honor of Miss Juliet Caper Branham, who on the following day became the bride of Charles S. Williams, jr., of New York, son of Commodore C. S. Williams, U.S.N., retired, and Mrs. Williams. Two tables were occupied by the guests. The bride's table was beautified with tall white candles, Easter lilies and stock. Mrs. Dismukes presided at the large round table, which was prettily decorated. The naval orchestra furnished music.

Mrs. George A. Nugent entertained at a luncheon recently at the Army and Navy Club in Washington in honor of Mrs. Jorge Boyd of Panama City, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Rolfe Bolling, at Wardman Park Inn. Other guests were Madame Alfaro, Mrs. Potts, Mrs. Chase W. Kennedy, Mrs. Royburn, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. John Gullick, Mrs. Colby Rucker and Mrs. Ernest Peels.

Brig. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, U.S.A., and Mrs. Drum entertained at dinner in Washington, preceding the last of the series of Army dances, at the New Willard on April 25. Their guests included Brig. Gen. G. A. L. Dumont of the French Embassy, Col. Frank B. Cheatham, Col. and Mrs. Herbert B. Crosby, Col. and Mrs. Edgar Croft, Col. and Mrs. Homer Grant, Col. and Mrs. William Burt, Mrs. Charles A. Pfaffin of Indianapolis, Col. and Mrs. Howard C. Dickinson and Miss Carroll Reaume.

Rear Adm. Guy H. Burrage, U.S.N., and Mrs. Burrage entertained at a reception in Washington on April 25 in honor of the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Wilbur. Mrs. Edward W. Eberle and Mrs. G. Aubrey Davidson presided at the tea table, and those assisting were Mrs. Edward H. Gheen, Miss Gheen, Mmes. Charles F. Preston, Arthur B. Carpenter, William J. Nunnally, jr., Frederick Horne, Mrs. Stewart and Miss Stewart of New York, Miss Eastman, Mrs. Percy, Mrs. C. S. Aldin and the three daughters of the hosts, Mrs. W. W. Gwathmey, jr.

and Mrs. Barton Myers, jr., of Norfolk, and Miss Burrage.

The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Wilbur were guests of honor at a reception given by the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt in Washington on April 29. Mrs. Roosevelt was assisted at the tea table by her mother, Mrs. Henry A. Alexander of New York, Mmes. Edward W. Eberle, John A. Lejeune, Edwin Denby, Hilary P. Jones and Robert E. Coontz, and was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Robert Gormley, Misses Bertha Coontz, Ethel Bloch, Janet Moffett, Eugenie Lejeune, Helen Strauss and Margaret Brown.

The ball, given by the War Department Polo Association, in Washington on April 30 was one of the smartest and gayest of the season. The large ballroom of the Willard was attractively transformed into a polo field. The Secretary of War and Mrs. Weeks received, assisted by the Deputy Chief of Staff and Mrs. John L. Hines. Gen. Pershing was a member of the receiving party and in his box he entertained Senator and Mrs. Francis E. Warren, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Dennis E. Nolan, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John L. Hines and Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Robert C. Davis.

Col. Howard C. Dickinson, U.S.A., and Mrs. Dickinson entertained at dinner preceding the polo ball in Washington on April 30. Their guests included the commercial counsellor of the Swedish Legation and Madame Weidel, the first secretary of the Italian Embassy, Count di Villanova; Comdr. Claude N. Mayo, U.S.N., and Mrs. Mayo.

Col. Maurice E. Locke, U.S.A., and Mrs. Locke entertained at dinner at Washington on April 30 in honor of Gen. John J. Pershing. Col. and Mrs. Locke had with them in their box Senator and Mrs. David A. Reed, Representative and Mrs. John Jacob Rogers, the military attaché of the French Embassy, Gen. Dumont, and Mrs. Louis McGill.

An exciting exhibition of riding and jumping by Capt. W. Dirk Van Ingen, 14th Cav., U.S.A., and Mrs. Van Ingen was recently given at Fort Sheridan before members of the Mayslake Hunt Club. Dinner was served in the mess hall. After dinner Capt. Van Ingen and his troop, C, gave a splendid exhibition of riding. Capt. Van Ingen was one of the officers interested in the Army polo ball recently given under the auspices of the 6th Corps Area polo team at the Hotel Sherman. The team is located at Fort Sheridan and plays the entire season in the midwestern circuit of the American Polo Association in and near Chicago.

Miss Quinn Peters, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. John W. Mayben of Philadelphia, attended a house party last weekend given by Mr. and Mrs. John Bringhurst, jr., at their home, Spring View Farm, West Chester, Pa. The other guests were Miss Betty Hazel of Baltimore and A. R. Stewart and S. G. Simmons, 2d, of Wilmington.

A boat ride, picnic and dance will be given by the Washington branch of the Infantry Association at Fort Washington on May 24. The steamship Gen. Rucker will be chartered for this excursion down the Potomac.

Capt. Joseph Twyman, U.S.A., and Mrs. Twyman, Fort Monroe, Va., entertained the officers and ladies of the battery officers' class, Fort Monroe, with a bridge party on March 29 at the Sherwood Inn. Forty-eight attended. Highest scores were Mmes. Burton, Hesketh, Werts, Jacobs and Taliaferro, Capt. Hesketh and Jacobs.

## RETIREMENTS

L. T. QUINTUS E. THOMSON, JR., U.S.N., was retired May 3, 1924, for physical disability.

## OBITUARIES

BROOKS.—Died, at her summer home at Quaker Neck on the eastern shore of Maryland, April 28, 1924, in her eighty-eighth year, Amelia Wright Brooks, widow of Adm. William B. Brooks, U.S.N., and mother of Col. J. C. W. Brooks, U.S.A., retired.

FOSS.—Died, at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., on April 23, 1924, Laurence Booth Foss, 21 months old, son of Capt. Elmer T. Foss, U.S.A., and Mrs. Foss.

GORDON.—Maj. Gen. Walter H. Gordon, U.S.A., retired, a distinguished officer of the Army, died at Washington,

D.C., April 26, 1924. Gen. Gordon was only retired on Jan. 18 last, upon his own application after more than forty-one years' service. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service during the World War. The citation says: "As brigade commander of the 10th Infantry Brigade he showed great energy and zeal in the conduct of his brigade during the major part of the maneuvers. Later as division commander of the 6th Division commander of the 6th Division, by his painstaking efforts, he brought his division to a marked state of efficiency, rendering services of great value to the American Expeditionary Forces." Gen. Gordon was born in Artonish, Miss., June 24, 1863, and was graduated from the U.S.M.A., in the class of July, 1886, when he was assigned to the 12th Infantry. Among other duties, he served as major and colonel of the 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry (1898), on the General Staff, in the Inspector General's Department and as commandant of cadets, Louisiana State University.

During 1899, 1900 and 1901 Gen. Gordon served in the Philippine Islands, where he participated in many engagements. At the time of our entry into the World War Gen. Gordon was on duty in command of the 31st Infantry at Fort William McKinley, P.I. He was transferred to command of the 15th Infantry at Tientsin, China, until September, 1917, when he returned to the United States to the command of the 154th Depot Brigade at Camp Meade, Md. In December, 1917, he was transferred to the 10th Infantry Brigade at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.; commanding troops U.S.S. Leviathan en route to American Expeditionary Forces to May 8, 1918; commanding 10th Infantry Brigade, A.E.F., to Aug. 25, 1918; commanding 6th Division, A.E.F., to June, 1919. Among other duties on the battle front he served with the 7th French Army; 1st French Army Corps; 1st American Army, and the 8th American Army Corps. He was en route to the United States June, 1919. Gen. Gordon was a graduate of the Army War College, 1914, and was on the General Staff, Nov. 25, 1907, to April 11, 1909. In addition to the D.S.M. Gen. Gordon was awarded the decoration of the Legion of Honor (commander) and the Croix de Guerre (with palm) by France.

LITTELL.—Brig. Gen. Isaac W. Littell, U.S.A., retired, died May 1, 1924, at the Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington. He was awarded the D.S.M. for his services during the World War. Gen. Littell is survived by his widow, Mrs. Julia Barrett Littell; two sons, I. W. Littell, jr., of Lehigh University, and G. B. Littell of Scranton, Pa.; and three daughters, Mrs. Patch, wife of Maj. A. M. Patch, jr., Inf.; Mrs. Bryan, wife of Comdr. G. S. Bryan, U.S.N., and Mrs. Owen, wife of Comdr. W. B. Owen, U.S.N. Services were held at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church in Washington, May 3; interment at Arlington with usual military honors. Gen. Littell was awarded the D.S.M. for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service in the world War. "As Chief of the Cantonment Division of the Quartermaster General's Office," says the citation, "he was charged with the task of building the camps and cantonments of the Army raised in summer of 1917 under conditions imposing almost insuperable obstacles. His completion of this task is a conspicuous example of the exercise of qualities of mind and character making up the highest type of officer." All but two of the sixteen cantonments taken in hand under the direction of Gen. Littell were ready for the draft men at the time specified, and this in less than three months after the plans had been accepted.

Gen. Littell was born in Elizabeth, N. J., Dec. 5, 1857. After graduation from West Point in 1883 he remained on duty in the 10th Infantry until April 25, 1895, when he was appointed captain and A.Q.M. He served as major and Q.M. of Volunteers in 1900, and was promoted major and Q.M. Oct. 26, 1901, and lieutenant colonel and D.Q.M.G., March 19, 1908. While an officer of the 10th Infantry he served on frontier duty at Fort Lyon, Colo., during a part of 1884 and 1885, and was also on duty later in Indian Territory, Colorado, New Mexico and Oklahoma to Oct. 8, 1894. He was Q.M. at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and assistant to depot Q.M. at New York city up to September, 1899, when he went to the Philippines as Q.M., 1st Brigade, 2d Division, 8th Army Corps. Among other duties he was also temporarily in charge

of the construction of the Government cold storage and ice plant in Manila. Gen. Littell was chief Q.M., 1st Division, 8th Army Corps; chief Q.M., Department of Northern Luzon, and after returning to the United States, in 1902, his duties included that of depot Q.M. at New York city, in the office of the Q.M.G. at Washington, and at the Soldiers' Home at Washington, which was his last assignment. He became brigadier general in February, 1918, and was retired from active service upon his own application, after more than forty years' service, Feb. 19, 1919.

LOGAN.—After a short illness, Elizabeth C. Logan, widow of Rear Adm. Leavitt C. Logan, U.S.N., and elder surviving daughter of the late David Dixon Porter, the Admiral of the Navy, died at the Newport Hospital, Newport, R.I., April 28, 1924, as a result of cerebral hemorrhage. Mrs. Logan was seventy-two years of age, and for many years had been a resident of Washington, D.C., her home being at 2028 Hillier place. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. R. W. Adams and Mrs. J. H. A. Day, and by a sister, Mrs. Charles H. Campbell of Washington, D.C.

MUSK.—Lt. David A. Musk, U.S.N., attached to the aircraft squadrons of the Battle Fleet, was drowned in the Pacific ocean off Point Loma, Calif., April 29, 1924, as the result of a mid-air collision of the plane he was in with a plane piloted by Lt. Oscar A. Weller, U.S.N. Lt. Weller had a marvelous escape from injury and death. He fell 2,000 feet in a dizzy spin, but managed to land safely with a "dead stick." His plane had a smashed propeller, while the upper right wing section was caved in. Lt. Musk was piloting TS battleplane No. 8 and Lt. Weller plane No. 7 in a nine-plane formation led by Lt. D. C. Watson when the tragic accident occurred. A speed of about 165 miles an hour was being maintained. In executing some evolutions Lt. Weller dipped his plane beneath that of Lt. Musk and a few seconds later the propeller of Lt. Weller's plane ripped off the lower right wing section of Lt. Musk's plane. Both ships, crippled, immediately sideslipped and then went into spins. Lt. Weller succeeded in bringing his ship out of the spin and glided safely to North Island, landing uninjured.

Lt. Musk was not so lucky. His plane fell in a terrific spin, then nose-dived into the sea. Efforts to find his body were promptly made, but without result up to this writing. Lt. Musk was born in Pennsylvania, July 31, 1894. He entered the Navy from New York, serving throughout the World War with aviation units in France. He is survived by a widow and a one-year-old son, residing at 1010 7th avenue, Coronado.

POWELL.—Capt. Thomas J. Powell, U.S.A., retired, died at Atlanta, Ga., May 4, 1924. He was born in Georgia Aug. 10, 1877, and entered the Regular Army as a first lieutenant in the Q.M.C. July 1, 1920, having previously served as a captain in the Engineer Section, O.R.C., and as a temporary major, U.S.A., during the World War. Among other duties he served during the World War, with the advance detachment, 305th Engineers, in Europe. He was retired from active service March 7, 1924, for disability incident thereto.

STRAUGHN.—Shubal W. Straughn of Wabash, Ind., died at Flint, Mich., May 5, 1924. He is the father of Maj. Hugh Straughn, Inf., P.S., who has been advised of the death of his father by cable. Mr. Straughn has been prominent in insurance work for a number of years, being connected with the Lincoln Life Insurance Company.

TREZISE.—Mr. Walter Trezise, brother of Mrs. Fraser, wife of Lt. Col. Walter Fraser, U.S.A., died in Phoenix, Ariz., April 22, 1924.

## ENGAGEMENTS

KAUFFELDT—HAND. Lt. Col. Daniel W. Hand, U.S.A., and Mrs. Hand announce the engagement of their daughter, Agnes, to the Hon. W. V. Caddel Kauffeldt, Royal Danish Council at Manila. The wedding will take place the middle of June in Washington, where Mrs. Hand and Miss Hand are now stopping at 1721 I street, N.W. Col. Hand is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

SAPIA-BOSCH—DE BLANCO. Mrs. Maria Fuerte de Blanco announces the

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engagement of her daughter, Maria del Refugio, to 1st Lt. Timoteo Sapia-Bosch, 20th Inf., U.S.A., stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. The marriage will take place early in the fall. "Cuca," as she is known to her friends, is an accomplished violinist, classical dancer and an excellent rider. She is a native Mexican and was educated at St. Mary's College for Girls in Notre Dame, Ind., where she graduated in violin. She is the granddaughter of Gen. Miguel Blanco, one of the outstanding heroes of Mexico when Emperor Maximilian's forces were routed and defeated by the Mexicans. She is also the sister of Gen. Lucio Blanco, whose assassination by the agents of Obregon caused such a sensation here and abroad. Lt. Sapia-Bosch is a native of Porto Rico and comes from well known and distinguished Porto Rican families.

**SMITH—EBY.** Maj. Charles McH. Eby, U.S.M.C., and Mrs. Eby of Fort Jay, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Eby, to Lt. Charles R. Smith, 16th Inf., U.S.A.

### SERVICE WEDDINGS

**COONTZ—BYARS.** A notable wedding in Washington, D.C., May 6, 1924, was that of Lt. Kenneth L. Coontz, U.S.N., son of Adm. Robert E. Coontz, U.S.N., and Mrs. Coontz, and Miss Virginia Douglas Byars, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cloyd Byars. The ceremony was performed in the Church of the Covenant by the Rev. William Bird, and was largely attended. Mrs. Trinkle, wife of Governor E. Lee Trinkle of Virginia, was matron of honor. The maid of honor was Miss Julia Tillar of Virginia. Little Miss Helen Sue Trinkle, daughter of the Governor and Mrs. Trinkle, was flower girl, and young William Land, Jr., of Virginia, was the ring bearer. The bride's other attendants were Miss Bertha Coontz, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Isabella Leith of Forest Hills, N.J.; Mrs. Broome Van Pell of Fort Schuyler, N.Y.; Miss Marjorie Wright of New York; Miss Amelie Preston of Bristol, Va.; Miss Katharine Summers and Miss Douglas Summers of Abington, Va., and Miss Marjorie Anderson of Bristol, Tenn.

Lt. William D. F. Dietrich, U.S.N., was best man. The ushers included Lts. George T. Howard, W. P. O. Clarke, Moses B. Byington, Ralph S. Riggs and William W. Behlow and John W. Price, U.S.N.; Capt. Field Harris, U.S.M.C.; J. Cloyd Byars, Jr., and Bailey Byars of Arlington, Va., brothers of the bride; William T. Tillar and Darke Baker. A reception in the country home of the bride's parents, Alcoa, at Arlington, followed the wedding ceremony. Lt. and Mrs. Coontz will return to Washington in June and will occupy an apartment at Wardman Park Hotel until the autumn, when Lt. Coontz will join his ship in Pacific waters.

**MCDOWELL—CRAM.** Mrs. Nathan D. Cram announces the marriage of her daughter, Mildred Cram, to Comdr. C. S. McDowell, U.S.N.

**MENOCAL—JOHNSON.** Ens. George Lawrence Menocal, U.S.N., attached to the U.S.S. Mississippi, and Mrs. Margaret Doyle Johnson were married in San Diego, Calif., April 25, 1924, with Chaplain Wood of the Naval Hospital performing the ceremony. The attendants were Lt. Harold S. Summerlin, M.C., U.S.N., and Mrs. Summerlin. After a short honeymoon trip, Ens. and Mrs. Menocal will take up their residence at San Pedro, Calif.

**SEALS—BYROADE.** Col. and Mrs. George L. Byroade announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to Maj. Carl H. Seals, U.S.A. Col. Byroade is in command of the 57th Infantry at Fort McKinley, P.I., and Maj. Seals is brigade executive of the 23d Infantry Brigade. Only the immediate families of the couple witnessed the ceremony. Maj. and Mrs. Seals are at home at Fort McKinley.

**SMITH—OWINGS.** Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Mary Melissa Owings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chafee Owings of Olympia, Wash., and Lt. Michael Gibson Smith, U.S.A., at high noon on April 24 at St. Mary's Cathedral, San Francisco, Calif. Miss Virginia Tallerdar of San Francisco was maid of honor and Lt. Benjamin Manning, instructor in military tactics at the University of California, a classmate of Lt. Smith's at West Point, was best man. After a honeymoon in South-

ern California, Lt. and Mrs. Smith will sail for Honolulu, where Lt. Smith is attached to the 8th Field Artillery, stationed at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

**WILLIAMS—BRANHAM.** The chapel at the Portsmouth (N.H.) Navy Yard was the scene of a very pretty wedding on April 30 when Miss Juliet Caper Branham, sister of Lt. Comdr. Hugh M. Branham, aid to the yard commander, became the bride of Charles Sumner Williams, Jr., of New York, son of Commodore Charles Sumner Williams, U.S.N., retired, and Mrs. Williams. The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock and was performed by Capt. H. M. T. Pearce, chaplain of the yard, in the presence of a large number of relatives, friends and officers, including Capt. and Mrs. Douglas E. Dismukes. The bride was very attractive in her wedding gown of white duchess satin, made with court train and embroidered with seed pearls. She wore a pearl bandeau and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and valley lilies. She was given in marriage by her father, Dr. Joseph L. Branham, professor of clinical surgery at the University of Maryland, Baltimore. Mrs. John Turner of New York was matron of honor. Miss Virginia Branham, daughter of Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Branham, was flower girl. Kenneth Durant of New York acted as groomsmen. Lt. Comdr. Branham was one of the ushers. The walls of the navy yard chapel were draped with flags, which covered all the windows. At the end of the room between two windows of the chapel was the altar, on either side of which were two pine trees; on the outer side were banked jonquils and other potted plants. The naval band orchestra played the wedding music. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Branham, and a wedding repast was served, followed by dancing. The bride is a graduate of Bryn Mawr and of Goucher College. The bridegroom was graduated from Harvard in 1913. During the World War he served as a major in the Infantry and now is a vice president in the Thomas A. Edison Co., New York, in which city, following their wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Williams will reside.

### BIRTHS

**BLACK.**—Lt. G. C. Black, Sig. Corps, U.S.A., and Mrs. Black, at Fort Bliss, Texas, announce the birth of a daughter, Marilyn Jean, on April 22, 1924.

**CRAWFORD.**—A son was born to former Ens. Armon Davis Acheson Crawford and Mrs. Crawford at the Hahnemann Hospital, Scranton, Pa. Mr. Crawford is a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, class of 1920.

**GODFREY.**—Born May 2, 1924, Peter Warren Godfrey, to Maj. and Mrs. Stuart C. Godfrey at Brookline, Mass.

**VAN BUREN.**—A son was born to Lt. Harold S. Van Buren, U.S.N., and Mrs. Van Buren at Norfolk, Va., April 20.

### FORT SHERIDAN

ILLINOIS, APRIL 20.

Capt. and Mrs. Philip Ramer have had visiting them Mrs. S. A. Kempe of St. Paul. Mrs. Ramer entertained at bridge in honor of Mrs. Kempe. Lt. and Mrs. Williams gave a bridge dinner on March 5. Maj. and Mrs. Roger Harrison honored Mrs. Kempe with several tables of bridge. Mmes. Graban and O'Connor entertained the bridge club. Mrs. Robinson entertained the riding class at tea.

Capt. and Mrs. Middleton gave a dinner in honor of Mrs. Kempe. Capt. and Mrs. O'Connell entertained at a bridge supper. Capt. and Mrs. Cassidy entertained at a bridge dinner on St. Patrick's evening. Capt. Cassidy's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Blanchard entertained the riding class at tea on Thursday to meet Mrs. Kempe. Lt. and Mrs. Norman entertained at bridge on March 20.

Capt. and Mrs. Ramer gave a hop supper recently. That same evening Lt. Epes and Mr. Hipsley entertained at dinner. Mrs. Robert Hiatt entertained at a luncheon in honor of her guest, Miss Josephine Irvin of Fort Sill.

Lenore Ely, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Ely, gave a supper for Mildred and Marjorie English, Lola O'Connell, Aline Williams, Bob Blanchard, Bill and Ray Cassidy, Byron and George Davis, "Red" Richardson and Wilfred Neff.

Capt. and Mrs. Cassidy and Lt. and Mrs. Williams gave a farewell dinner in honor of Maj. and Mrs. E. O. Hopkins. Capt. and Mrs. Birks entertained at a large bridge supper.

Miss Jessie Goodwin entertained the post at a tea dance on April 5. Mrs. Dickson of Lake Forts entertained the ladies of the Monday-Thursday riding class at luncheon. Lt. and Mrs. Bush gave a bridge. Maj. and Mrs. C. J. Baker of Chanute Field and Mrs. Fowler of Rantoul spent a day with Maj. and Mrs. Hall. Capt. and Mrs. Ely gave a dinner party.

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## STATUS OF ARMY PROMOTIONS.

The following are changes in promotions and vacancies on Promotion List (Cumulative) up to May 7, 1924:

## Last Lt. Col. Promoted Col.

Jack Hayes, Q.M.C., No. 20 on page 146 (Nov. Army List and Directory).  
Last nomination to grade of Col.—William H. Waldron, Inf., No. 21.

Vacancies—None.

Sr. Lt. Col.—Godwin Ordway, C.A.C.

## Last Maj. Promoted Lt. Col.

George L. Wertenbaker, C.A.C., No. 601 on page 148.  
Last nomination to grade of Lt. Col.—Walter C. Baker, C.W.S., No. 602.

Vacancies—None.

Sr. Maj.—Robert Davis, Sig. Corps.

## Last Capt. Promoted Maj.

Harold E. Small, C.A.C., No. 2333 on page 154.  
Last nomination to grade of Maj.—Henry B. Saylor, Ord. Dept.

Vacancies—1. Officer entitled: Joseph M. Swing, F.A., No. 2335.

Sr. Capt. if vacancy were filled—Charles W. Ryder, Inf.

## Last 1st Lt. Promoted Capt.

Gottfried W. Spoerry, Inf., No. 6333 on page 168.  
Last nomination to grade of Capt.—William W. Wise, C.W.S., No. 6337.

Vacancies—5. Officers entitled: Rodney C. Jones, C.A.C., No. 6340; William A. Murphy, Inf., No. 6342; Harold H. Elarth, Inf., No. 6343; Lester J. Harris, Inf., No. 6345; Howard F. Clark, Engrs., No. 6346.

Sr. 1st Lt. if vacancies were filled—Howard C. Brenizer, F.A., No. 6347.

## Last 2d Lt. Promoted 1st Lt.

John F. Lavagnino, Inf., No. 8490 on page 176.  
Last nomination to grade of 1st Lt.—Richard R. Coursey, Inf.

Vacancies—5. Officers entitled: Dwight L. Adams, Inf., No. 8508; Thomas G. Cranford, Jr., C.A.C.; Lester G. Degnan, Inf.; Henry B. Sheets, Inf.; Archie W. Cooley, Inf.

Sr. 2d Lt. if vacancies were filled—William R. McMaster, Inf.

Vacancies in grade of 2d Lts.—487.

## ARMY NOMINATIONS

Nominations Received by Senate May 1  
APPOINTMENTS IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

## ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

To be Assistant The Adjutant General for four years from date of acceptance, with rank of brigadier general from May 16, 1924: Col. L. Wahl, vice Brig. Gen. B. Alvord, to be retired May 15, 1924.

## CORPS OF ENGINEERS

To be Chief of Engineers for four years from date of acceptance, with rank of major general from June 19, 1924: Brig. Gen. H. Beach, to be retired June 18, 1924.

To be assistant to the Chief of Engineers for four years from date of acceptance, with rank of brigadier general: Col. E. Jadwin, vice Brig. Gen. H. Taylor, nominated Chief of Engineers.

## Nominations Received by Senate May 3

## PROMOTIONS IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

To be major: 2d Lt. A. I. Moriarty, retired, to be a major on the retired list of the Regular Army, to rank from April 28, 1924, with retired pay as prescribed by law for a major of his length of service retired prior to July 1, 1922.

## Nominations Received by Senate May 5

## PROMOTIONS IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

To be maj.: Capt. H. B. Saylor, Ord. Dept., from April 27, 1924.  
To be capt.: 1st Lt. W. W. Wise, C.W.S., from April 27.

Second lts. to be 1st lts.: C. Hildebrand, Inf., from April 22; J. H. Warren, Inf., April 24; E. M. Gregory, C.A.C., April 26; J. D. Frederick and R. K. Courcy, Inf., April 27.  
Medical Administrative Corps—To be 1st lt.: Second Lt. H. J. Caterer, from April 30.  
Chaplains—To be chaplain with rank of major: L. A. Carter, from April 29, 1924.

## APPOINTMENT IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

Medical Corps—To be 1st lt.: First Lt. J. A. Smart, M.O.R.C., rank April 25, 1924.

## APPOINTMENT, BY TRANSFER, IN REGULAR ARMY.

Ordinance Department—1st Lt. W. W. Murphy, C.A.C. (detailed Ord. Dept.), rank Aug. 1, 1919.

## CIRCULAR 29, APRIL 28, 1924, W.D.

**C.M.T.C.**—This circular, pending the revision and reprinting of A.R. 350-2200, Military Education, C.M.T.C., announce a number of changes therein.

## CIRCULAR 30, MAY 1, 1924, W.D.

**I—Letters of Commendation.**—The War Department is receiving numerous letters from general officers recommending other officers for appointment as brigadier generals, chiefs of branches, and assistant chiefs of branches. The information contained in the recommendations, concerning the officer's service, is already of record in the Department and in some cases the general officer has not served in many years with the officer recommended, or even at all.

The proper place for recommendations for promotion is on efficiency reports and in their preparation this item should be fully covered.

As prescribed in a letter from The Adjutant General's Office of March 11, 1921, whenever the service of an officer is so exceptional as to warrant it, the appropriate com-

## ORDERS FOR THE ARMY

Commander-in-Chief—Calvin Coolidge, President

Secretary of War—John W. Weeks

Assistant Secretary of War—Col. Dwight F. Davis

General of the Armies—Gen. John J. Pershing, Chief of Staff

Deputy Chief of Staff—Maj. Gen. John L. Hines

manding officer is authorized to make a special report on the officer concerned.

In view of the foregoing, except as prescribed in a letter of March 11, 1921, special recommendations for appointment as general officers, chiefs of branches, and assistant chiefs of branches will not be sent to the War Department unless specifically called for.

**II**—Refers to property accounting regulations which have been superseded by Army Regulations Nos. 35-6520 to 35-6740, now being distributed.

**III**—Refers to issue of old type officers' uniforms to non-commissioned officers of the first, second and third grades.

G.C.M.O. 15, MARCH 18, 1924, W.D.

This order publishes the proceedings of the G.C.M. in the case of Capt. Frederic K. Long, 16th Inf., tried by a G.C.M. at Governors Island, N.Y. on a charge of violation of the 95th Article of War.

The specifications involved a failure to pay his debts.

He was found guilty of the charge, and most of the specifications, and was sentenced to be dismissed the Service.

The sentence was confirmed by President Coolidge on March 17.

## GENERAL STAFF CORPS.

GEN. J. J. PERSHING, G. OF A., C. OF S.

Brig. Gen. F. Parker, June 15, is attached to 1st Division, 2d Corps Area, for attachment to organization and station. (April 30, W.D.)

Brig. Gen. R. P. Davis from duties with 22d Inf. Brigade, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, upon the departure of Brig. Gen. J. D. Barrette from Honolulu, and will then proceed to Honolulu for duty with Hawaiian Coast Artillery district. (May 1, W.D.)

Brig. Gen. S. Heintzelman, G.S., from detail as a member of G.S.C. July 1, and to Fort Benning and report Aug. 18 to Infantry School for a course of instruction. Upon completion about Sept. 20 he will proceed to New York city and sail about Sept. 26 to Honolulu, Hawaii, for assignment to 22d Inf. Brigade. (May 1, W.D.)

Maj. J. L. Collins, G.S. (F.A.), from G.S. to duty as a student Field Artillery School. (April 30, W.D.)

Col. L. M. Nutman, G.S. (Inf.), July 1, to duty with O.R. as Chief of Staff, 80th Div., Richmond, Va. (April 30, W.D.)

Lt. Col. S. O. Fuqua, G.S. (Inf.), assigned to 2d Division, Fort Sam Houston, for duty from foreign service. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. J. K. Herr, G.S. (Cav.), to duty as a student in the advanced course, Cavalry School, Fort Riley, Sept. 9. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. R. T. Ward, G.S. (Corps of Engrs.), from detail as a member of G.S.C. July 1, and assigned to 1st Engineers, Fort Du Pont, for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

## ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

MAJ. GEN. R. C. DAVIS, THE A.G.

One month and 25 days to Maj. R. H. Dunlop, A.G., about July 1. (May 1, W.D.)

## JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT.

MAJ. GEN. W. A. BETHEL, J.A.G.

Col. J. J. Mayes, J.A., from France to U.S., to Washington, D.C., J.A.G., for temporary duty in his office. (May 1, W.D.)

## QUARTERMASTER CORPS.

MAJ. GEN. W. H. HART, Q.M.G.

Lt. Col. R. E. Smyser, Q.M.C., June 1, to Washington, Q.M.G., for duty in his office. (April 30, W.D.)

Lt. Col. W. H. Point, Q.M.C., to duty with O.R. of 3d Corps Area with 79th Div., Philadelphia. (April 30, W.D.)

Officers of Q.M.C. July 1, to Washington, D.C., to Q.M.G. for duty in his office: Lt. Col. C. L. Willard and J. Regan. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. C. L. Scott, Q.M.C., May 1, to Washington for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. G. H. Totten, Q.M.C., to Fort Sill for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. J. A. Barksdale, Q.M.C., to duty with O.R., 3d Corps Area, with the non-divisional group, Philadelphia. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. A. E. McConnell, Q.M.C., to duty with O.R., 3d Corps Area, with non-divisional group at Philadelphia. (April 30, W.D.)

Field Clerk J. N. Harrell, Q.M.C., to U.S. May 13, to San Francisco for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. W. T. Connatser, Q.M.C., to Washington, relieving Capt. G. H. Hahn, Q.M.C., who will proceed to Baltimore for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

2d Lt. S. H. Hunsicker, Q.M.C., to duty with O.R., 6th Corps Area, with non-divisional group, Chicago. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. R. A. Blair, Q.M.C., from treatment at Hot Springs, Ark., to Denver. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. R. A. Blair, Q.M.C., to Fort Sam Houston for station and assume duty as construction Q.M., Fort Sam Houston, Brooks Field, Kelly Field, and Camp Stanley, Texas, relieving Capt. E. G. Thomas, Q.M.C., who will report to C.O., Fort Sam Houston, as assistant to Q.M. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. G. L. Thompson, Q.M.C., is detailed in the Signal Corps, to Washington for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. W. G. Gooch, Q.M.C., to Fort Bliss for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. A. N. Caldwell, Q.M.C., June 15, assigned to duty and station in Alaska. (May 3, W.D.)

## MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

MAJ. GEN. M. W. IRELAND, S.G.

## MEDICAL CORPS.

Maj. B. B. Warriner, M.C., July 1 to duty at Langley Field, Va. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. F. H. Mills, M.C., to duty as P.M.S.T., Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. J. R. Shelton, M.C., June 7 to Fort Sam Houston for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. J. M. Fontaine, M.C., to Fort Huachuca, Ariz., for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. C. R. Glenn, M.C., to El Paso, Texas, William Beaumont General Hospital, for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

So much of Par. 1, S.O. No. 87, W.D., April 12, as designates Maj. J. Wallace, M.C., as a student at the Army Medical School for the 1924-1925 course on Sept. 1 is revoked. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. A. M. Lehman, M.C., to duty at Camp Lewis, Wash. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. P. A. Mix, M.C., to San Francisco, to Superintendent, Army Transport Service, for duty as transport surgeon. (May 2, W.D.)

Col. C. C. Collins, M.C., June 25 to duty at Hdqrs. 3d Corps Area, Baltimore. (May 3, W.D.)

The orders to Capt. E. LeC. Cook, M.C., to proceed to Fort Hancock, N.J., for duty are revoked. (May 3, W.D.)

Capt. W. M. Blackshare, M.C., to Fort Hancock, N.J., Aug. 15, for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

Lt. Col. R. H. Pierson, M.C., to New York city and sail about Sept. 26 to Manila for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

## DENTAL CORPS.

Lt. Col. R. H. Mills, D.C., to duty P.M.S.T., Northwestern University Dental School, Chicago, Ill. (April 30, W.D.)

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

BRIG. GEN. K. W. WALKER, C. OF F.

Maj. G. N. Newell, F.D., to duty in F.D., Omaha, on June 15. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. H. F. Wilson, F.D., June 30, assigned to duty with Finance Department, 8th Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston. (May 3, W.D.)

## CORPS OF ENGINEERS.

MAJ. GEN. L. H. BEACH, C. OF E.

Capt. L. A. Pick, C.E., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. F. S. Skinner, C.E., to Fort Humphreys, Va., Aug. 15, to Engineer School as instructor. (May 1, W.D.)

Maj. L. M. Adams, C.E., to duty as P.M.S.T., California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, and to duty with 91st Division, O.R., at Pasadena. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. G. J. Richards, C.E., to West Point, N.Y., on Aug. 25 for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

1st Lt. B. F. Chadwick, 2d Engrs., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., University of Illinois, Urbana. (May 2, W.D.)

2d Lt. F. H. Oxx, 1st Engrs., to West Point, N.Y., Aug. 25 for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

## ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

MAJ. GEN. C. C. WILLIAMS, C.O.

Maj. H. S. Aurand, O.D., June 15 to Washington, to Chief of Ordnance for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. S. H. Elliott, O.D., about June 1 to Washington for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. G. T. Rowland, O.D. (Inf.), to Watertown Arsenal, Mass., June 30 as student. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. R. Sears, O.D., to Washington, D.C., to Chief of Ordnance for duty in his office. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. J. K. Christmas, O.D., to Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

1st Lt. W. I. Wilson, O.D., to U.S.M.A., Aug. 25, for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

## SIGNAL CORPS.

MAJ. GEN. C. McK. SALTZMAN, C.S.O.

Two months and 10 days to Maj. G. L. Van Deusen, S.C., about June 17, to leave U.S. (April 30, W.D.)

2d Lt. H. Lynch, S.C., assigned to 3d Division for duty from foreign service. (May 3, W.D.)

## CAVALRY.

MAJ. GEN. W. A. HOLBROOK, C. OF C.

Lt. Col. H. J. McKenney, Cav., July 1 to duty with the O.R., 65th Cav. Div., Chicago, Ill. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. P. E. Taylor, Cav., to duty as P.M.S.T., Calumet Public High School, Calumet, Mich. (April 30, W.D.)

Col. A. M. Miller, Cav., assigned to duty with the Signal Corps for four years July 1, and to Washington, D.C., to Chief Signal Officer for temporary duty not to exceed three months and twenty days, and then to New York city and sail about Nov. 27 for Canal Zone for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Lt. Col. T. Smith, Cav., to duty with O.R., 5th Corps Area, with 64th Division, Louisville, Ky. (May 1, W.D.)

Maj. H. A. Flint, Cav., to duty as P.M.S.T., New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, N.M. (May 1, W.D.)

Maj. B. T. Merchant, 8th Cav., from assignment to that regiment, and to Cavalry School, Fort Riley, for duty as instructor. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. K. C. Lambert, Cav., is assigned to 2d Cavalry, Fort Riley, for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. C. S. Kiburn, Cav., assigned to 4th Cavalry, Fort Meade, S.D., for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry to Washington, D.C., to Chief of Cavalry for duty in his office: Lt. Col. W. V. Morris and L. Brown, Jr.; Maj. K. G. Eastham. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry to Fort Riley, Kas., to Cavalry School for duty as indicated: For duty as instructors—Lt. Col. C. Enos; Maj. A. B. Conard, H. L. Flynn, W. Nalle, T. K. Brown. For duty with the Cavalry School detachment—Maj. R. M. Cheney. (May 2, W.D.)

Lt. Col. J. Huston, Cav., to Fort Sill, Okla., to Field Artillery School for duty as instructor. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry assigned to 1st Cavalry Division for duty: Lt. Col. J. E. Gaujot; Maj. W. H. Cowles, P. Gordon, R. B. Patterson. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. W. M. Blunt, Cav., to duty with O.R., 62d Cavalry Div., Baltimore. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry to place indicated for duty with regiment to which assigned: Lt. Col. E. A. Buchanan to 12th Cav., Fort Brown, Texas; Maj. R. D. Newman to 9th Cav., Fort Riley; E. N. Hardy to 6th Cav., Fort Oglethorpe; M. Garr to 13th Cav., Fort D. A. Russell; P. R. Davison to 2d Cav., Fort Riley; E. Bowditch, Jr., to 12th Cav., Fort Ringgold. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry detailed as members of the Cavalry board, Fort Riley, for duty: Maj. J. W. Heard, C. V. Simpson, Cav. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. G. Keyes, Cav., to duty Aug. 23 as a student Cavalry School, Fort Riley, not later than Sept. 9. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry assigned to 12th Cavalry, Fort Ringgold, for duty: Capt. W. C. Burt, 1st Lt. M. L. Stockton, Jr. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. H. C. Minuth, Cav., assigned to 13th Cavalry, Fort D. A. Russell, for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry assigned to 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., for duty: Capt. J. W. Carroll, A. J. de Lorimer. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. C. G. Hutchinson, Cav., assigned to 6th Cavalry, Fort Oglethorpe, for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry assigned to 2d Cavalry, Fort Riley, for duty: Capt. H. deB. Bruck, LeR. Davis, N. E. Fiske, H. R. Gay, R. W. Grow, W. T. Hamilton, A. M. Jones, R. T. Maddocks, G. H. Millholland, B. G. Shoemaker, R. W. Strong, A. H. Truxes, J. H. Washburn, C. J. Wilder; 1st Lt. H. McP. Woodward, Jr. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry assigned to 11th Cavalry, Presidio of Monterey, for duty: Capt. R. E. Craig, J. L. Rice. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry assigned to 9th Cavalry, Fort Riley, for duty: Capt. F. T. Bonsteel, L. G. Gibney, J. V. McDowell, D. S. Perry. (May 2, W.D.)

1st Lt. O. M. Massey, Cav., assigned to Machine Gun Troop No. 1, Fort Riley. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. H. T. Allen, Jr., Cav., assigned to 3d Cavalry, Fort Myer, for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. J. A. Weeks, Cav., attached to 3d Cavalry, Fort Myer, for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry assigned to 4th Cavalry, Fort Meade, S.D., for duty: Capt. C. G. Wall, A. J. Wehr. (May 2, W.D.)

Officers of Cavalry assigned to 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Bliss, for duty: Capt. P. C. Berlin, A. H. Seabury, J. M. Lile, C. J. Hancock. (May 2, W.D.)

1st Lt. D. S. Holbrook, 14th Cav., to New York city and sail about July 12 for Manila for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Lt. Col. R. M. Barton, Cav., assigned to duty with 65th Cavalry Division, O.R., Milwaukee. (May 3, W.D.)

Maj. J. B. Johnson, Cav., to duty as P.M.S.T., University of Arizona, Tucson. (May 3, W.D.)

2d Lt. J. A. Whelen, Jr., 3d Cav., is transferred to 3d Cavalry, Fort Myer, Va., for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

Cavalry officers transferred from 2d Cavalry, Fort Riley, to 9th Cavalry, Fort Riley, June 15 for duty: Capt. C. S. Smith, J. W. Weeks, P. H. Waters, J. T. Duke, H. L. Earnest. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. J. M. Glasgow, 9th Cav., is transferred to 3d Cavalry June 15, and to Fort Myer for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. J. N. Merrill, 9th Cav., is transferred to 12th Cavalry June 15, and to Fort Brown, Texas, for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. R. E. Ireland, Cav., is transferred from 1st Machine Gun Squadron to the Machine Gun Troop No. 1, Aug. 15, and to Fort Riley for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. M. A. Devine, Jr., 9th Cav., is transferred to 1



## 1ST ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Boston, Mass.

MAJ. GEN. A. W. BREWSTER, COMDR.

## Reserve Officers Attached

To Coast Defenses of Boston:—2d Lts. H. Sweet, Dorchester, Mass.; J. J. Forrester, Dorchester, Mass.; A. D. Thompson, Wollaston, Mass.; R. E. Miskelly, Altoona, Pa.; C. Kelly, Roxbury, Mass.; L. J. Donnelly, Springfield, Mass.; B. Cooper, Roxbury, Mass.; C. P. Dyer, Winchester, Mass.; C. MacKinnon, Dorchester, Mass.; R. C. Hardy, Arlington, Mass.; F. L. Jones, North Attleboro, Mass.; B. E. Proctor, Malden, Mass.; M. M. Bates, Lynn, Mass.; R. Bancroft, Weylesley, Mass.; R. D. Brown, Arlington, Mass.; C. D. Grover, Mansfield, Mass.; H. R. Rogers, Jewksbury, Mass.; E. F. Praetz, Lawrence, Mass.; J. R. Beaudreau, Marlboro, Mass.; W. F. McMahon, Attitash, Mass.; J. E. Sallaway, Dorchester, Mass.; M. A. Corbelle, Auburn, Mass.; J. M. McClelland, Jamaica Plain, Mass.; M. Weisman, Lawrence, Mass.; R. Sterling, Lowell, Mass., all C.A.

To Coast Defenses of New Bedford:—Capt. W. Mathewson, Med., New Bedford, Mass.; 2d Lts. H. P. Stanley, Taunton, Mass.; H. E. Read, Fall River, Mass.; H. S. Ferguson, Yarmouth, Mass.; E. S. Southworth, Fall River, Mass., all C.A.

To Coast Defenses of Narragansett Bay:—1st Lt. F. W. Victory, Warren, R.I.; 2d Lts. A. Lloyd, Mapeville, R.I.; W. F. Watson, Newport, R.I., all C.A.; A. E. Young, Pawtucket, R.I.; E. J. Feeley, Pawtucket, R.I.; J. M. Legris, Arctic, R.I., all Q.M.

To 316th Cav., 64th Cav. Div.—2d Lts. J. Brown, Quebec, Vt.; L. E. Brown, Barre, Vt.; M. F. Carr, West Rutland, Vt.; H. E. Batty, Woodsville, N.H.; H. E. Dockler, Proctor, Vt.; E. J. Dye, Rutland, Vt.; E. F. Leach, Fairfax, Vt.; J. H. Northrop, East Fairfield, Vt.; J. J. Wilson, Bethel, Vt., all Cav.

To 158th Machine Gun Sqdn., 64th Cav. Div.—2d Lts. H. C. Lodge, Nahant, Mass.; J. J. Mahoney, Brighton, Mass., both Cav.

To organizations of 76th Div.:—Hqrs.—Capt. T. J. Bannigan, Q.M., Hartford, Conn.

76th Sig. Co.—S. O. Need, New Haven, Conn.

301st Obs. Sqdn.—2d Lts. A. H. Bass, Stamford, Conn.; J. E. Bullock, New Haven, Conn.; E. G. Schmitt, Ansonia, Conn.; R. G. Wolf, Providence, R.I.; L. S. Muir, Pawtucket, R.I., all A.S. (April 25, 1st C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Assigned

Capt. R. B. Graham, Fin., Providence, R.I., to Coast Defenses of Narragansett Bay; T. Martin, Q.M., Waterbury, Conn., to Hqrs. 76th Div.

1st Lts. W. C. McLaughlin, Sig., West Haven, Conn., to 76th Sig. Co.; P. P. Pallett, F.A., Hartford, Conn., to 855th F.A., 76th Div.

2d Lts. G. C. Griffith, Sig., Hartford, Conn., to Hqrs. 76th Div.; R. S. Shipley, Sig., Westport, Conn., to Hqrs. 76th Div.; C. A. Shook, Ord., New Haven, Conn., to Hqrs. 76th Div. (April 25, 1st C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Attached

To Hqrs. 76th Div.—Maj. B. Bronson, Waterbury, Conn.; 1st Lt. H. P. Cook, Bridgeport, Conn.; 2d Lts. H. G. Ludwig, New Haven, Conn.; A. H. T. Bacon, Cornwall, Conn.; S. F. Wheeler, New Haven, Conn.; H. T. Dyson, Hartford, Conn.; W. L. Ashby, Norwich, Conn., all Q.M.

To 355th F.A., 76th Div.—2d Lts. J. N. Tyler, Deep River, Conn.; M. Ziff, Hartford, Conn.; B. L. Katten, Hartford, Conn., all F.A.

Capt. A. F. McDonald, Med., Waterbury, Conn., to 76th Div. Train, Q.M.C.

To organizations of 76th Div.:—417th Inf.—2d Lts. A. B. Wood, New Haven, Conn.; G. W. Keane, New Haven, Conn.; C. M. Kelley, New Haven, Conn., all Inf.

418th Inf.—2d Lts. H. Broadbrook, Bridgeport, Conn.; J. A. Di Pietro, Waterbury, Conn.; H. A. Thompson, Shelton, Conn.; C. A. Miller, Stamford, Conn., all Inf.

304th Inf.—2d Lts. E. S. Dewing, Hartford, Conn.; A. M. Ritter, Hartford, Conn.; P. A. Seaton, Torrington, Conn.; H. F. Gee, Hartford, Conn.; K. Moore, Southington, Conn.; J. R. Nielsen, Hartford, Conn., all Inf.

855th Inf.—2d Lts. H. F. Gibbs, Providence, R.I.; D. F. Bowen, Providence, R.I.; J. S. Long, Providence, R.I.; M. Farnum, Georgiaville, R.I.; T. W. Cremin, Newport, R.I.; G. H. Cressy, Providence, R.I.; F. R. Witham, West Barrington, R.I.; C. T. Murdock, Providence, R.I.; W. E. Macklin, Cumberland Hill, R.I.; G. E. Wilson, Providence, R.I.; H. T. Samson, Providence, R.I.; J. G. Shaw, Providence, R.I.; F. A. Turner, Saylesville, R.I.; E. B. Ryder, East Greenwich, R.I.; T. E. Geary, Westerly, R.I.; G. J. P. Reagan, Newport, R.I.; H. E. Adams, Providence, R.I.; J. O. Lewis, Providence, R.I., all Inf.

302d F.A.—2d Lts. R. H. Budson, Providence, R.I.; C. T. Langdon, Providence, R.I.; W. B. Butterworth, Providence, R.I.; W. F. Potter, Providence, R.I.; P. B. Metcalf, Providence, R.I.; M. C. Edinger, Apponaug, R.I.; W. T. O'Rourke, Providence, R.I.; E. B. Johnson, Riverside, R.I.; T. F. Vance, Pawtucket, R.I.; D. C. Thorndike, Providence, R.I.; G. C. Gustafson, Providence, R.I.; F. T. Rich, Providence, R.I.; D. F. Dodd, Providence, R.I., all F.A.

301st Engrs.—2d Lt. A. L. Bartlett, Engr., Danbury, Conn.

1st Col. A. Pfeiffer, Med., Boston, Mass., to 319th Med. Regt., 94th Div.

To 319th Med. Regt., 94th Div.—Maj. D. A. Hassman, Brookline, Mass.; E. A. Rush, Salem, Mass.; G. E. McPherson, Belmont, Mass.; Capt. A. A. Hornor, Boston, Mass., all Med.; Capt. P. S. Hartnet, Dent., Alston, Mass. (April 25, 1st C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Attached

To 151st Field Art. Brig., 76th Div.—2d Lts. J. N. Tyler, Deep River, Conn.; M. Ziff and B. L. Katten, Hartford, Conn.

2d Lt. P. J. Woodbury, A.S., Goffstown, N.H., to 322d Obs. Sqdn., 97th Div.

Q.M. Reserve officers attached to units of Zone of Interior:

Hqrs. (Office of the Q.M.) F.C.A.—Maj. J. J. McMahon, Hartford, Conn.; 1st Lt. J. Story, Winthrop, Mass.; 2d Lts. J. E. O'Neill, Ashmont, Mass.; P. J. Kenney, Wakefield, Mass.; J. T. Curtin, Boston, Mass.; R. F. Anderson, Medford, Mass.

Hqrs. Bangor Area—1st Lt. E. W. Abbott, Lewiston, Me.; 2d Lt. E. D. Pray, Portland, Me.

Hqrs. Worcester Area—2d Lts. J. H. Reilly, North Adams, Mass.; J. E. Hackett, Newton, Mass.; V. D. Grabbell, Worcester, Mass.

Hqrs. Springfield Area—2d Lt. J. J. O'Meara, Boston, Mass.

To Hqrs. Manchester-Portland Area—Maj. W. P. Kennard, Greenland, N.H.; 2d Lts. A. L. Mixer, Rumford, Me.; E. A. Gagnon, Boston, Mass.; R. E. Stone, Waltham, Mass.; E. F. Heenan, Wayland, Mass.; J. J. Dunne, Chelsea, Mass.

To Hqrs. Hartford-New Haven Area—2d Lts. E. W. Larsen, Arlington, Mass.; W. G. Merrick, Attleboro, Mass.; T. N. Jennings, Wethersfield, Conn.; R. S. Baldwin, Branford, Conn.; J. T. Joyce, Middletown, Conn.

To Hqrs. Boston Area—Maj. J. C. Hayes, Boston, Mass.; 1st Lt. R. A. Piper, Quincy, Mass.; 2d Lt. W. H. Allen, Wollaston, Mass.

To Hqrs. Camp Devens Area—Maj. F. W. H. Kalor, Dorchester, Mass.; 1st Lts. S. N. Abbott, Lynn, Mass.; J. F. Ready, Brookline, Mass.; 2d Lts. G. E. Davis, Winthrop, Mass.; J. Buchanan, jr., Chelsea, Mass.; A. W. Black, Orrs Island, Me.; J. F. Sullivan, Medway, Mass.; W. E. Crozier, Holyoke, Mass.; E. B. Comey, Three Rivers, Mass.; A. Forbes, Hadley Center, Mass.; G. S. Rumley, Lynn, Mass.; J. S. Sheedy, Groton, Mass.; F. E. Conway, Brookline, Mass.; 1st Lt. G. MacD. Kenney, Eden Park, R.I.; 2d Lts. F. L. Frost, Allston, Mass.; R. L. Belcher, Rockland, Me.; E. M. Rawley, Rumford, Me.

To Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.—1st Lt. G. A. Irwin, Winthrop, Mass.; 2d Lt. P. A. Gignol, Bellows Falls, Vt.

To 601st Bakery Co.—2d Lt. H. R. Macleod, Medford, Mass.

To 602d Bakery Co.—2d Lt. I. E. Taylor, Worcester, Mass. (April 28, 1st C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Assigned

2d Lt. C. F. Blake, Q.M., Exeter, N.H., assigned to 665th Railroad Co., Zone of Interior. (April 28, 1st C.A.)

## 2D ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Governors Island, N.Y.

MAJ. GEN. R. L. BULLARD, COMDR.

Col. Peter Murray, Chief of Staff

The 1st Brigade, 1st Division (less caretaking detachments, etc.), will proceed from their present stations by marching and by water transportation to Camp Dix, N.J., for temporary duty in connection with the summer training camps.

May 5, 1st Ordnance Co. to Camp Dix by truck. May 7, 1st Signal Co., less detachment, to Camp Dix by truck; detachment 1st Signal Co. to Camp Dix by marching. May 12, 16th Inf. and Hqrs. Co., 1st Inf. Brigade, to Fort Hancock by harbor boat. May 13, 16th Inf. and Hqrs. Co., 1st Inf. Brigade, to Camp Dix by marching (to arrive May 16); 18th Inf. to Fort Hancock by harbor boat. May 14, 18th Inf. to Camp Dix by marching (to arrive May 17). June 3, 1st Tank Co. to Camp Dix by truck (tanks to precede the movement of the Tank Co.). (April 28, 2d C.A.)

The 1st Battalion, 28th Inf. (less Co. D), Fort Porter, N.Y., will proceed to Fort Niagara, N.Y., by marching, in time to arrive May 10 for target practice, and on completion of its target practice return to Fort Porter, N.Y., by marching, to relieve Co. D, which will then proceed to Fort Niagara, by marching, for target practice. The 1st Battalion, 28th Inf. (less the company at Fort Porter), will remain at Fort Niagara after completion of annual target practice until further orders. (April 28, 2d C.A.)

Maj. E. R. Van Deusen, F.A., D.O.L., is designated as C.O. 1924 R.O.T.C. Field Artillery Camp, Madison Barracks, N.Y. (May 1, 2d C.A.)

Maj. J. C. Breitting, M.C., to Fort Slocum, N.Y., to accompany 18th Inf. from that station to Camp Dix, N.J., as regimental surgeon. (May 5, 2d C.A.)

## Leaves

One month 10 days, about July 20, to Maj. H. P. Perrine, jr., Inf.; 2 months, about July 1 to Lt. Col. G. A. Herbst, G.S.C. (April 28, 2d C.A.)

Three months, to apply for extension of 1 month, to Capt. J. D. Townsend, 26th Inf., about June 1, to leave U.S.; 1 month, about May 11, to Capt. G. C. Rippetoe, Inf.; 1 month, about June 1, to Capt. B. M. Epes, D.C. (April 30, 2d C.A.)

One month, about July 1, to 1st Lt. LeR. M. Wightman, Cav.; 1 month 10 days, about Aug. 5, to 1st Lt. C. H. Chorpene, C.E.; 2 months to 1st Lt. C. A. Welcker, Inf. (May 1, 2d C.A.)

One month 20 days, about June 1, to Army Fld. Clk. J. F. McGuire. (May 2, 2d C.A.)

One month 22 days, about June 15, to 1st Lt. W. Barton, F.A.; 1 month, about May 4, to Lt. Col. A. B. Sloan, Inf. (May 8, 2d C.A.)

## ARMY CORPS AREAS AND DEPARTMENTS

## Reserve Officers Attached

Capt. E. W. Murphy, Q.M., New York, N.Y., to Hqrs. 12th Corps, Corps, Army and G.H.Q.

1st Lt. M. S. Trop, Dent., Bronx, N.Y., to Hqrs. 61st Cav. Div.

To Hqrs. 78th Div.—Lt. Col. F. J. Quigley, Med., Weehawken, N.J.; Maj. W. R. Stearly, Chap., Newark, N.J.; Capt. W. J. Hazel, Inf., Newark, N.J.; M. C. Morrison, Inf., Elizabeth, N.J. (April 26, 2d C.A.)

Lt. Col. F. J. Quigley, Med., Weehawken, N.J., to Hqrs. 78th Div. (April 29, 2d C.A.)

Capt. G. P. Taylor, Inf., Montclair, N.J., to Hqrs. 78th Div.; C. Reynell, Eng., Astoria, N.Y., to Hqrs. 77th Div.

To 12th Corps Hqrs.—General Service Attached List, Maj. R. A. Brigham, G.S., Bath, N.Y.; Mil. Police Attached List, 1st Lt. W. A. Sullivan, Bronx, N.Y.

To 4th Army Hqrs.—Med. Attached List, Capt. R. L. Strickland, Dent., Buffalo, N.Y.

To 78th Div. Hqrs.—1st Lt. R. Highley, Bloomfield, N.J.; 2d Lts. J. F. Coleman, New Brunswick, N.J.; E. H. Snyder, jr., Newark, N.J., all Inf.

To G.H.Q. Res.—327th M.P. Co. (Z. of C.), Capt. F. J. Upton, St. Albans, N.Y.; 1st Lts. E. A. Moore, Brooklyn, N.Y.; G. E. McCartney, Bronx, N.Y., 336th M.P. Co. (Z. of C.), Capt. G. W. Cook, 1st Lts. J. O'M. Dale and B. J. King, all Brooklyn, N.Y.

To 196th Brig. Hqrs., 98th Div.—Capt. T. H. Hoyle, Woburn, N.Y.

To 195th Brig. Hqrs., 98th Div.—2d Lt. J. S. Doubleday, Syracuse, N.Y. (May 2, 2d C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Assigned

2d Lt. C. B. Lynch, Eng., Schenectady, N.Y., to 323d Eng., 98th Div.

To G.H.Q. Res.—360th Eng., 1st Lts. R. J. Byron, Buffalo, N.Y.; H. Dunbar, Albany, N.Y., both Eng. 373d Eng. Regt. (G.S.), Z. of C., Maj. B. W. Kline, Eng., Elizabeth, N.J.

To 78th Div.—303d Ammunition Train, 153d F.A. Brig., 2d Lts. H. E. Cook, Arlington, N.J.; R. B. Garrabratt, Bloomfield, N.J., both F.A. 303d Med. Regt., Lt. Col. W. J. Arlitz, Med., Hoboken, N.J., Div. Hqrs., 1st Lt. W. Watson, Q.M., Leonia, N.J.

To 2d C.A. Dist.—302d C.A., G.H.Q. Art. Res., 2d Lt. G. V. Azoy, C.A., East Orange, N.J.; Eastern N.Y. Bn., G.H.Q. Res., 2d Lt. H. C. Yeager, C.A., New York, N.Y. (April 26, 2d C.A.)

Lt. Col. W. J. Arlitz, Med., Hoboken, N.J., to 303d Med. Regt., 78th Div.

1st Lt. W. Watson, Q.M., Leonia, N.J., to Q.M. Section, Hqrs. 78th Div. (April 29, 2d C.A.)

2d Lt. C. D. Byington, Inf., Newark, N.J., to 312th Inf., 78th Div.

To G.H.Q. Reserves—373d Eng. Regt. (G. S.), Z. of C.—Capt. L. C. Livingstone, West Orange, N.J.; C. Millen, South Orange, N.J., both Med.

To G.H.Q. Art. Res.—514th Art., 2d Lt. G. H. Walker, Schenectady, N.Y., 607th C.A., 1st Lt. G. R. Hartley, New York, N.Y.

To 4th Army Art.—522d C.A. 2d Lt. R. D. Frontuto, Rochester, N.Y. (May 2, 2d C.A.)

## 3D ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Baltimore, Md.

MAJ. GEN. C. H. MUIR, COMDR.

Col. F. S. Cocheu, Chief of Staff.

G.O. 5, APRIL 1, 1924, 3D C.A.

The station of Hqrs., Service Co. No. 16, Sig. Corps, is changed from Baltimore, Md., to Camp Meade, Md., effective April 5, 1924, and will remain so changed during the continuance of the summer training camps only.

G.O. 6, APRIL 8, 1924, 3D C.A.

That portion of the 16th Infantry Brigade at Fort Howard, Md., less such detachments as the brigade commander deems necessary to be left at Fort Howard, and the detachment authorized for temporary duty at Tobyhanna, Pa., will proceed by marching to Camp Meade, Md., so as to arrive at the latter place not later than May 14 for temporary duty in connection with the summer training activities.

G.O. 7, APRIL 4, 1924, 3D C.A.

The 34th Infantry, less Service Co. and one officer, three non-commissioned officers and fifteen privates, will proceed by boat from Fort Eustis, Va., to Curtis Bay, Md., and thence by marching to Camp Meade, Md., so as to arrive at the latter place not later than May 14 for temporary duty in connection with the summer training activities.

The Service Co., 34th Inf., will proceed by marching to Camp Meade so as to arrive at the latter place not later than May 14.

G.O. 10, APRIL 28, 1924, 3D C.A.

Maj. O. Westover, A.S., Langley Field, Va., is detailed a member of the permanent Local Joint Planning Committee, vice Lt. Col. C. H. Danforth, A.S., relieved.

## Reserve Officers Assigned

To 80th Div.—Capt. R. C. Light, Inf., Evinston, Va.; 2d Lt. L. I. Bass, A.S., South Boston, Va.

To 99th Div.—2d Lt. P. D. Albert, jr., Inf., DuBois, Pa. (April 23, 3d C.A.)

To 99th Div.—1st Lt. H. P. Luscomb, Inf., Turtle Creek, Pa.

To 79th Div.—1st Lt. W. L. Thorpe, Inf., Swarthmore, Pa.

To 99th Div.—Capt. O. D. Black, Inf., Canonsburg, Pa. (April 24, 3d C.A.)

To 99th Div.—1st Lt. W. W. Hague, Inf., Pittsburgh, Pa.

To 62d Cav.—Capt. J. G. Grover, Engr., Baltimore, Md.

To 99th Div.—1st Lt. J. C. Bloom, Inf., Scottsdale, Pa.; 2d Lt. J. De N. Watson, F.A., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

To Non-Div. Group—1st Lt. L. O. Atwood, Engr., Bethlehem, Pa.; 2d Lts. A. J. Gangel, F.A., Scranton, Pa.; C. E. Proudley, F.A., Washington, D.C.; S. V. Williams, F.A., Pittsburgh, Pa.; J. M. Zimmerman, F.A., East Pittsburgh, Pa. (April 25, 3d C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Assigned

To N.G. of Virginia—2d Lt. P. R. Stone, Inf., Martinsville, Va.

To 80th Div.—Maj. J. A. C. Colston, Med., Baltimore, Md. (April 29, 3d C.A.)

To 80th Div.—1st Lt. W. K. Lucas, Ord., Washington, D.C.; 2d Lt. J. I. Menefee, A.S., Richmond, Va.

To N.G. of Maryland—Capt. J. McC. Adams, Inf., Baltimore, Md.; 1st Lt. F. S. Orn, Inf., Baltimore, Md.

To Non-Div. Group—Capt. G. W. Johnson, Engr., Johnsonburg, Pa.; G. H. Bryan, A.S., Norfolk, Va.; 2d Lt. H. M. Dugan, A.S., Ebensburg, Pa.; Capt. J. G. Failor, F.A., Phoenixville, Pa.; 2d Lt. A. R. Weishaar, F.A., Williamsport, Pa.; 1st Lts. J. T. Ready, Dent., Washington, D.C.; R. Dale, C.A., Philadelphia, Pa. (May 3, 3d C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Assigned

To 80th Div.—Maj. J. A. C. Colston, Med., Baltimore, Md. (April 29, 3d C.A.)

To 99th Div.—2d Lt. H. R. Werkheiser, Inf., New Kensington, Pa.

1st Lt. H. S. Higgins, Chap., Philadelphia, Pa., to 79th Div.

To 79th Div.—1st Lt. J. R. Bingman, Inf., Juniata, Pa.

To 99th Div.—1st Lt. H. E. Hogle, jr., Inf., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

To Non-Div. Group—Capt. F. R. Simmons, F.A., Forty Fort, Pa.; A. B. Wilber, F.A., New Kensington, Pa.; W. J. Rothensies, Inf., Red Lion, Pa.; 1st Lt. C. A. Hoffman, Inf., York, Pa.; 2d Lt. M. Falco, A.S., Washington, D.C. (April 30, 3d C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Assigned

To organizations of 88th Div.:—Capt. C. F. Brickner, Inf., Fargo, N.D., to Co. M, 352d Inf.

1st Lts. C. A. Choate, F.A., Winona, Minn., to Hqrs. 163d F.A. Brig.; J. B. Lathrop, F.A., St. Paul, Minn., to Hqrs. 2d Bn., 337th F.A.; F. H. Hofflander, F.A., Minneapolis, Minn., to Hqrs. 337th F.A.

2d Lts. J. L. Benshoof, Inf., Detroit, Minn., to 88th Light Tank Co.; H. W. Wright, Inf., Ames, Iowa, to Hqrs. Co., 350th Inf.; C. G. Willis, Inf., Bradyville, Iowa, to Co. M, 350th Inf.; D. S. Anderson, Inf., Grand Rapids, Minn., to Co. H, 352d Inf.; G. Schilbred, Inf., Duluth, Minn., to Co. H, 352d Inf. (April 30, 3d C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Attached

To 80th Div.—Capt. J. W. McNair, Inf., Lynchburg, Va. (April 23, 3d C.A.)

To 80th Div.—Capt. H. H. Howell, M.I., Washington, D.C.

To 80th Div.—Capt. L. S. Nottingham, Inf., Lynchburg, Va.; S. L. Smith, Inf., Washington, D.C.; 1st Lt. W. M. Depp, Chap., Towson, Md.

To 99th Div.—Capt. R. N. Steimer, Inf., Pittsburgh, Pa.; 2d Lts. J. L. Kennedy, Inf., Meadville, Pa.; T. W. McCormack, Inf., Erie, Pa.; L. R. Weaver, Inf., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

To 62d Cav. Div.—2d Lt. J. F. Gardiner, Cav., Philadelphia, Pa. (April 24, 3d C.A.)

To 79th Div.—Capt. R. H. Murfit, Engr., Ambler, Pa.

To 62d Cav. Div.—2d Lt. W. R. Barratt, Cav., Franklin, Pa.

To Non-Div. Group—Lt. Col. L. Powell, Med., Alexandria, Va.; T. S. Troy, Med., Takoma Park, Md.; 1st Lts. S. H. Bowman, Dent., Philadelphia, Pa.; H. R. Wilson, Dent., Carnegie, Pa.; 2d Lts. L. O. Hines, Engr., Norfolk, Va.; A. H. Smith, Engr., Philadelphia, Pa. (April 25, 3d C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Attached

To 80th Div.—Maj. C. P. Obenschain, Med., New Hope, Va.

To 99th Div.—Lt. Col. G. Paull, Q.M., Pittsburgh, Pa.

To 62d Cav. Div.—2d Lt. G. R. Rathbun, Cav., Allentown, Pa.

To Non-Div. Group—2d Lt. E. G. Hunter, Q.M., Mt. Rainier, Md. (April 29, 3d C.A.)

To 79th Div.—Lt. Col. E. E. Keiser, Med., Philadelphia, Pa.; Maj. M. A. Snyder, F.A., Philadelphia, Pa.

To 99th Div.—Maj. J. R. Weaver, Inf., Pittsburgh, Pa.; 2d Lt. H. M. Lee, Inf., Ellwood City, Pa.

To 62d Cav. Div.—2d Lt. J. H. Doak, Cav., Philadelphia, Pa. (May 3, 3d C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Attached

To 80th Div.—Maj. C. P. Obenschain, Med., New Hope, Va.

To 62d Cav. Div.—2d Lt. G. R. Rathbun, Cav., Allentown, Pa.

To Non-Div. Group—2d Lt. E. G. Hunter, Q.M., Mt. Rainier, Md.

To 99th Div.—Lt. Col. G. Paull, Q.M., Pittsburgh, Pa. (April 29, 3d C.A.)

## Reserve Officers Attached

To 99th Div.—Lt. Col. D. E. Sabla, Med., Pittsburgh, Pa.; Maj. W. L. Henderson, Med., East McKeesport, Pa.; 1st Lt. J. J. Maher, Sig., McKeesport, Pa.; 2d Lts. S. P. Simpson, F.A., Crafton, Pa.; W. R. Anderson, Saltsburg, Pa.; E. E. Beggs, Pittsburgh, Pa.; G. A. Dale, Clearfield, Pa., T. Fort, jr., Wilkinsburg, Pa., all Inf.

To Non-Div. Group—2d Lt. C. G. Wooley, Engr., Pittsburgh, Pa. (April 30, 3d C.A.)



Capt. M. Andrew, Inf., Fargo, N.D., to Hqs. 3d Bn., 352d Inf.  
2d Lt. O. B. Shawhan, Des Moines, Iowa, to Ordnance Co. No. 313. (April 30, 3d C.A.)

#### 4TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Atlanta, Ga.

MAJ. GEN. D. C. SHANKS, COMDR.  
Col. G. H. McManus, Chief of Staff

CIRCULAR 31, APRIL 29, 1924, 4TH C.A.  
This circular relates to the following subjects: Administrative instructions and reports required for Reserve officers on active duty. Reports required for Reserve officers when on inactive duty.

#### 5TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio

BRIG. GEN. D. E. AULTMAN  
in temporary command

MAJ. GEN. OMAR BUNDY  
will command in August, 1924  
Col. C. D. Rhodes, Chief of Staff  
Maj. E. W. Savage, Inf., is assigned to 83d Div., Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio, for duty. (April 9, 5th C.A.)

#### Leaves

One month, about June 1, to 1st Lt. A. E. Simonin, A.S. (April 11, 5th C.A.)  
One month, about Aug. 1, to 1st Lt. M. W. Marsh, Inf. (April 10, 5th C.A.)  
Two months 15 days to Wnt. Ofr. W. M. Betry. (April 15, 5th C.A.)  
One month to following on dates noted: June 2 to Maj. A. T. Rich, Inf.; about July 24 to Capt. H. C. Gilchrist, Inf.; Aug. 1 to 1st Lt. M. H. Meeks, jr., F.A.; July 27 to 1st Lt. T. F. Kern, C.E. (April 16, 5th C.A.)  
One month, about July 20, to Maj. W. H. Morris, jr., 10th Inf. (April 19, 5th C.A.)

#### 6TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Chicago, Ill.

MAJ. GEN. H. C. HALE, COMDR.  
Col. F. M. Caldwell, Chief of Staff

#### Reserve Officers Assigned

To Hqs. 85th Div. (Q.M. Section)—1st Lt. W. G. Scott, Q.M.  
To 85th Tank Co. (Light)—2d Lt. R. W. Emmons, Inf.  
To 85th Div. Train, Q.M.C.—2d Lts. H. R. Hamather, W. B. McLennan.  
To 337th Inf.—1st Lt. L. R. Warnock, 2d Lts. W. G. Beaudoin, E. F. Grossman, W. G. Tomlinson, E. L. Wisheart.  
To 338th Inf.—1st Lt. E. R. Rotramel.  
To 340th Inf.—2d Lts. J. E. Hunt, J. A. Nielsen.  
To 328th Field Art.—1st Lt. W. M. Jones, 2d Lts. J. L. Gibson, G. A. Livingston, K. F. Moore, P. F. Thompson.  
To 329th Field Art.—Capt. E. Bender, 2d Lts. Q. B. Boughey, A. A. Gaultik, H. Cohen, H. E. Hibbard, R. C. Rogers, F. deP. Townsend.  
To 310th Obs. Squadron—1st Lts. E. I. Kober, J. H. Mohr, G. H. Roosevelt, 2d Lts. D. V. Barker, E. H. Cross, E. G. Krebs, A. S. Macgregor, O. L. Raber, A. Robertson, L. R. Von Stein.  
To 343d Inf.—1st Lts. J. W. Lynd, D. B. McCallum, F. R. Miller, 2d Lts. L. D. Erwin, F. W. Harvey, C. K. Lawyer, R. B. Luak, V. E. Spencer, R. D. Webb, J. E. Wilson.  
To 332d Field Art., Capt. A. H. Means.  
To 365th Ord. Co. (M)—2d Lt. W. G. Malsie.  
To 497th Art. (240-mm. Howitzer)—Capt. C. Nixon, 2d Lts. H. G. Allison, C. H. Hauss, C. O. Horton.  
To 381st Engrs. (General Service)—2d Lt. N. C. Firth.  
To 186th Engr. Train (Water Tank)—Capt. J. M. Dugan.  
To Zone of Interior Installations, Chicago Supply Point, Chicago, Ill.—Capt. J. R. Fugard, M. C. Rhodes, 1st Lt. W. R. Baker, all Q.M.  
To Zone of Interior Installations, Mobilization Camp Hqs., Selfridge Field, Mich.—1st Lt. H. S. Raymond, Ord.; 2d Lt. C. H. Chatters, Fin.  
To Zone of Interior Installations, Mobilization Camp, Detroit, Mich.—Capt. A. E. Dreyer, Med.  
To Motor Transport Command No. 509, 16th Corps Train—1st Lt. W. H. Carr, 2d Lts. F. E. Bloom, A. R. Zeller, all Q.M.  
To Motor Transport Command No. 531—Capt. S. C. Scrimger, 1st Lt. G. J. Kaemmerling, 2d Lt. G. A. Lyon, all Q.M.

#### Reserve Officers Attached

Maj. E. H. Mason, Engr., to 381st Engrs. (General Service) for training.  
To 340th Inf.—Capt. R. J. Beeby, Med.  
To 465th Field Art. Battalion (Horse)—Capt. R. E. Zeigler, Chap.  
To 160th M.G. Squadron—Capt. C. L. Candler, Med.  
To 436th Artillery (155-mm. Gun, Motorized)—Maj. H. H. Hammell, Capt. C. J. Addison, E. C. Dunning, 1st Lt. A. W. Newitt, all Med.  
2d Lt. P. C. Yull, Sn., to 574th Engr. Train (Water Tank).  
To 574th Engr. Train (Water Tank)—Maj. J. J. Holes, Capt. L. A. King, T. Van Urk, 1st Lts. A. G. Stanka, L. W. Grice, all Med.  
To Hqs. 85th Div.—Maj. E. E. Damon, Q.M.; Capt. S. A. Erwin, J.A.G.; 1st Lt. F. D. Luse, Fin.; 2d Lts. M. G. Hartwell, M.I.; C. H. Smith, Fin.  
To 310th Med. Regt.—Maj. L. E. Aldrich, Dent.; W. A. Bolling, Med.; J. W. Turner,

## ARMY CORPS AREAS AND DEPARTMENTS

Med.; Capt. D. A. Galbraith, Med.; D. B. Newton, Dent.

To 310th Engineers (Combat)—Maj. T. Chandler, A. J. Decker, Capt. J. E. Salmon, E. I. Van Antwerp, 1st Lt. F. H. Parnell, 2d Lt. C. E. Dougherty, Engr.  
To 465th Field Art. Battalion (Horse)—Capt. S. M. Sherman, 2d Lt. D. P. Wells.  
To 318th Cav.—Capt. E. Hancock.  
To 325th Mil. Police Battalion—Maj. R. S. Harris, 2d Lts. A. J. Petit, jr., H. J. Zeiher.  
To Hqs. 9th Tank Group—Lt. Col. F. A. Fisher, Med.  
To 405th Engr. Battalion (Mounted, Combat)—2d Lt. H. M. Stoll, Engr.  
To 65th Cav. Div. Train, Q.M.C.—1st Lt. C. R. Olson, Q.M. (April 19, 6th C.A.)

#### Reserve Officers Assigned

2d Lt. W. F. Voshmik, Inf., to 321st Tank Battalion (Light).  
2d Lt. S. Standish, Inf., to 319th Tank Battalion (Heavy).  
1st Lt. W. C. Russell, Q.M., to Motor Transport Company 936.  
1st Lt. R. W. Pears, A.S., to 361st Obs. Squadron. (April 19, 6th C.A.)  
2d Lt. S. D. Eppstein, Q.M., to Bakery Co. No. 616

#### Leaves

One month, about June 1, to Capt. J. A. Marmon, F.D., Chicago. (April 22, 6th C.A.)  
One month 15 days, about Aug. 1, to Maj. J. M. White, Inf., Hqs. 86th Div., Chicago. (April 23, 6th C.A.)  
Two months, about July 1, to Maj. E. B. Spiller, F.D., Chicago, Ill. (April 24, 6th C.A.)  
One month 20 days, about May 26, to apply for extension of 1 month, to Wnt. Ofr. W. H. Gorham; 1 month, about June 1, to Capt. E. C. Jackson, Inf.; 1 month, about May 15, to Army Fld. Clk. E. O. Uher; 3 months, about June 15, to leave U.S., to Wnt. Ofr. F. J. Keenan. (April 25, 6th C.A.)

#### 7TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Omaha, Nebr.

MAJ. GEN. G. B. DUNCAN, COMDR.

Col. H. A. Eaton, Chief of Staff

#### Reserve Officers Assigned

To 429th Pursuit Sqdn., 6th Army—2d Lts. L. W. Keplinger, A.S., Kansas City, Mo.; G. B. Livesay, A.S., Kansas City, Mo. (April 29, 7th C.A.)

#### Reserve Officers Attached

2d Lt. H. B. Rudd, A.S., Kansas City, Mo., to 432d Pursuit Sqdn., 6th Army. (April 29, 7th C.A.)

#### 8TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex.

MAJ. GEN. E. M. LEWIS, COMDR.

Col. J. F. Preston, Chief of Staff

G.O. 12, APRIL 30, 1924, 8TH C.A.

Troop Movement.—1st Squadron, 4th Cavalry, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will proceed, by rail, about May 3 to Fort Meade, S.D., for permanent station.

#### Leaves

Three months 15 days about May 15, to Capt. J. L. Bass, Q.M.C., Camp Marfa, Tex. (April 22, 8th C.A.)  
Four months, about June 15, to Capt. R. Orsinger, Inf.; 1 month 20 days, about June 20, to 2d Lt. R. P. Lyman, Cav. (April 28, 8th C.A.)

#### Reserve Officers Assigned

Assignment of Reserve officers to units of Regular Army, which assignment will automatically relieve such officers from any existing assignment or attachment they may have to an organized Reserve unit:

To 1st Inf.—1st Lt. E. P. White, San Antonio, Tex.  
To 9th Inf.—2d Lt. E. S. Maduro, San Antonio, Tex.  
To 20th Inf.—2d Lt. P. J. Hennessy, San Antonio, Tex.  
To Coast Defenses of Galveston—Capt. G. H. Collins, San Antonio, Tex.; 2d Lt. L. H. Rhea, Dallas, Tex.  
To 1st Battalion, 38th Inf.—1st Lts. H. R. Booth, Denver, Colo.; C. E. Huckleberry, Denver, Colo.; R. M. Schmitt, Denver, Colo.  
To 3d Attack Group Hqs.—1st Lt. R. M. Keck, San Antonio, Tex.  
To 8th Attack Sqdn.—2d Lts. J. W. Dean and H. A. Frese, San Antonio, Tex.  
To 2d Medical Regiment—2d Lt. H. J. Magens, Vet., Seguin, Tex. (April 25, 8th C.A.)

#### 9TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Presidio, San Francisco, Calif.

MAJ. GEN. C. G. MORTON, COMDR.

Col. L. R. Holbrook, Chief of Staff

Troop Movements Incident to Summer Camps

The following troop movements for temporary duty will be made in connection with the summer camps to be held in the 9th Corps Area, 1924, for the periods noted:

#### Movements by Rail

To Camp Lewis, Wash., from June 10 to Aug. 18—One troop (dismounted) of 11th Cavalry from Presidio of Monterey.  
To Del Monte, Calif., May 15 to Aug. 30—A detachment of 3d Signal Co., Signal Corps, from Camp Lewis.  
To Fort Douglas, Utah, June 5 to Aug. 4—

One battery of 76th Field Art. from Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo. (return trip to be by marching); a detachment of 6th Engineers from Camp Lewis; a detachment of 3d Signal Co., Signal Corps, from Camp Lewis.

#### Movements by Motor Transportation

To Camp Lewis, Wash., June 10 to Aug. 18—4th Infantry (less 1st and 3d Battalions) from Fort George Wright. Chaplain E. E. Lane will accompany the regiment.  
To Rockwell Field, Calif., June 15 to Aug. 20—91st Observation Sqdn., Air Service, and 15th Photo Section, Air Service, from Crissy Field, Calif.  
To Del Monte, Calif., June 20 to July 26—The Bakers' and Cooks' School from the Presidio of San Francisco. Such of the personnel as may be needed at Del Monte after July 26 will be retained there.

#### Movements by Marching

To Camp Lewis, Wash., June 10 to Aug. 18—7th Infantry (less Cos. E, F and G) from Vancouver Barracks, and 3d Battalion, 4th Infantry, from Fort Lawton. Chaplain O. I. Clappitt will accompany the 7th Infantry during the period designated above.  
To Del Monte, Calif., June 5 to Aug. 30—30th Infantry (less one battalion) from the Presidio of San Francisco, and Co. E, 6th Engrs., from Fort Winfield Scott. Chaplain E. J. Griffin will accompany the 30th Infantry. Chaplain J. R. Wright will remain on duty at his station, the Presidio of San Francisco.  
To Fort Douglas, Utah, June 5 to Aug. 4—One troop of 13th Cavalry from Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo.  
To Helena, Mont., June 10 to 28—1st Battalion, 4th Inf., from Fort Missoula. Chaplain J. M. Moore to duty at Del Monte. Chaplain J. L. Blakeney, Fort Douglas, Utah, to temporary duty at summer camps to be held there during the period designated.

#### Reserve Officers Assigned

To 96th Div.—Capt. D. H. Clark, Seattle, Wash., 1st Lt. W. R. Norris, Portland, Ore., F. Knaus, 2d Lts. D. R. Devoe, B. L. Day, Seattle, Wash., 2d Lt. C. W. Laird, Spokane, Wash., all Field Art.; 2d Lts. J. A. Lowry, C. N. Brace, Pullman, Wash., R. J. Fletcher, Yakima, Wash., L. E. Morris, Spokane, Wash., E. P. Morrison, Colfax, Wash., C. A. Schirmer, H. W. Wages, Spokane, Wash., all Infantry.

#### PHILIPPINE DEPARTMENT

Headquarters, Manila, P.I.

MAJ. GEN. G. W. READ, COMDR.

Col. H. G. Bishop, Chief of Staff

#### HAWAIIAN DEPARTMENT

Headquarters, Honolulu, H.T.

MAJ. GEN. C. P. SUMMERALL, COMDR.

Col. W. F. Hase, Chief of Staff.

G.O. 6, MARCH 29, 1924, HAWAIIAN D.

Maj. T. Hall, J.A.G.D., is announced as Department Judge Advocate, vice Lt. Col. W. B. Pistole, J.A.G.D., relieved.

G.O. 7, MARCH 31, 1924, HAWAIIAN D.

The 55th Art., less the 1st and 2d Battalions, and the 41st Artillery Battalion are assigned to duty and station at Fort Kamehameha. The 2d Battalion, 55th Artillery, is assigned to duty and station at Fort Ruger.

G.O. 8, APRIL 11, 1924, HAWAIIAN D.  
Sentinels on post from retreat until reveille and all guards over prisoners will be armed with shotguns.

By command of Maj. Gen. Summerall:  
W. F. HASE, Chief of Staff.

#### PANAMA CANAL DEPARTMENT

Headquarters, Quarry Heights, Balboa Heights, Canal Zone

MAJ. GEN. S. D. STURGIS, COMDR.

G.O. 10, APRIL 23, 1924, P.C.D.

The 1st Battalion, 4th Field Art., is, until further orders, detached from the Panama Canal Division and is attached to 19th Infantry Brigade.

#### Leaves

One month 23 days to Capt. G. L. Kraft, 42d Inf., to leave Department about May 12, and apply for an extension of 1 month: 1 month 23 days to 1st Lt. E. L. Miller, 33d Inf., to leave Department about May 12; 3 months 15 days to 1st Lt. R. S. Henderson, 33d Inf., to leave Department about May 12. (April 4, P.C.D.)  
One month 23 days to 1st Lt. C. Dale, 4th F.A., to leave Department about May 13; 1 month 10 days to Capt. F. J. Moffatt, M.C., to leave Department about May 1; 2 months 15 days to 1st Lt. H. A. Gardyne, 33d Inf., to leave Department about May 13; 2 months to Maj. R. L. Spragins, 19th Inf. Brigade, to leave Department about May 29; 3 months 22 days, to terminate not later than Sept. 9, to 1st Lt. H. F. Meyers, C.A.C. (April 5, P.C.D.)  
One month 7 days to 1st Lt. M. B. Booth, 42d Inf., to leave Department about July 22; 1 month 10 days to 1st Lt. C. M. Myers, C.A.C., to leave Department about June 21; 1 month 28 days to Wnt. Ofr. F. Manke, to leave Department about June 21; 2 months 17 days to Wnt. Ofr. E. Podhora, bandleader, 14th Inf., to leave Department about May 24. (April 7, P.C.D.)  
Two months to 1st Lt. H. M. Black, C.W. S., to leave Department about May 13, to apply for extension of 1 month. (April 11, P.C.D.)  
One month 7 days, to visit U.S., to Chap-

lain P. B. Rupp, to leave Panama about July 22; 1 month 10 days, to visit U.S., to Capt. H. C. Mabbott, C.A.C., to leave Panama about June 21; 2 months 7 days, to visit U.S., to Wnt. Ofr. D. F. Murray, to leave Panama about June 21; 3 months, to visit U.S., to Wnt. Ofr. C. Adfield, to leave Panama about July 22. (April 18, P.C.D.)

One month 15 days, to visit U.S., to Maj. F. Q. C. Gardner, C.A.C., to leave Panama about May 3. (April 22, P.C.D.)

## U.S.M.A. CANDIDATES

The following candidates have been authorized to submit educational certificates with a view to admission to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y., no other entrance examination being scheduled for this year:  
Alabama—9th Dist., Charles A. Burnett, 1st alt., Birmingham.  
Florida—2d Dist., John F. Fisher, Trenton.  
North Carolina—8th Dist., Robert McD. Gray, Statesville.  
New Jersey, 10th Dist., Daniel K. Van Ingen, jr., 1st alt., Newark.  
Ohio—14th Dist., Carl M. Stump, Akron.  
15th Dist., Richard L. Gillespie, Caldwell.  
Illinois—12th Dist., Evan Swanson, De Kalb.

## LATE NAVY ORDERS

### Orders to Officers May 6

Capt. T. L. Johnson to Navy Attaché, American Embassy, Paris and Madrid; R. E. Pope to command Sub. Div. 11; G. M. Baum to Nav. War College; S. A. Taffinder to Nav. Mission, Peru.  
Lt. Comdr. H. Hoogewerf to Naval Academy; J. D. Smith to San Diego, Calif.  
Lts. W. D. Baker to navy yard, Portsmouth, N.H.; J. D. Brown to Nav. Home, Philadelphia; N. R. George to Nav. Training Sta., Hampton Roads; C. L. Nichols to Nav. War College.  
Lts. L. R. Martin, D.C., resignation accepted May 8; W. Dismukes, S.C., to Asst. Coast Insp., Bethlehem Ship Bldg. Corp., Quincy, Mass.; W. W. Gilmore to Nav. Supply Sta., Hampton Roads; E. E. Mullen to Rec. Ship, San Francisco, Calif.; A. B. McKay to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.  
Lts. M. L. Royer, S.C., to navy yard, Mare Island; R. H. Sullivan, S.C., to Aircraft Sqdn., Battle Fleet; J. E. Johnson, C.A.C., to navy yard, Philadelphia, Pa.; C. Tucker to Aircraft Sqdn., Scouting Fleet.  
Chief Pharm. S. W. Douglas to navy yard Washington, D.C.; R. Martin to navy yard Norfolk; J. H. Schreier to Naval Academy.  
Pharm. J. C. Fagan to Nav. Hosp., Charleston, S.C.  
Pay Clerk M. A. Poole to continue Rec. Ship, San Francisco, Calif.  
Comdr. J. S. Woods to command Farragut; C. S. East and Lt. H. E. Curles to U.S.S. Pittsburgh.  
Lts. P. R. Colony to U.S.S. Marblehead; K. Sommerfeld to U.S.S. Pittsburgh.  
Ens. J. P. Carney to U.S.S. Chewink.  
Chf. Gunns. J. F. Craig to U.S.S. Trenton; E. C. Wortman and Gunr. C. A. Strumsky to U.S.S. Antares.  
The following officers to instruction, 3d Naval District: Lts. J. P. Compton, B. S. Dague, B. G. Furey, A. O. Gieselman, E. M. Hoeftel, J. O. Huse, E. H. Jones, S. H. Jupp, E. J. Kidder, C. R. Smith, H. D. Smith, W. A. Teasley, T. B. Thompson, W. M. Thompson, N. Vytlicil, E. D. Walbridge and C. Withers.  
Construction Cops—Lts. C. H. Lique to Bu. Aeronautics, Navy Dept.; M. C. Faber to Naval Air Station, Hampton Roads; J. G. McPherson to Bu. Const. and Repair; E. C. Sprague to Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corp., Quincy, Mass.; W. Webster, jr., to navy yard, Norfolk.

### Orders to Officers May 3

Lts. F. W. Beltz, F. A. Brandecker, G. W. Brashers, W. A. Brooks, W. M. Callaghan, D. H. Clark, G. C. Cummings, H. W. Fitch, C. A. Griffiths, O. E. Grimm, S. M. Haight, C. D. Headlee, R. L. Hicks, E. R. Johnson, G. Kirkland, P. F. Lee, J. C. Metzel, A. F. Peterson, E. H. Price, W. R. Read, G. L. Schetty, H. M. Scull, L. F. Small, R. Mc. Smith, J. J. Twomey and F. L. Wilkinson to Columbia University, New York, N.Y.  
Lt. C. M. Holton to Nav. Academy, Annapolis.  
Ens. H. C. Archibald to Mine Sqdn. 2.  
Lt. Comdr. F. T. Foxwell, S.C., to disbursing off., Charleston, S.C.  
Lt. H. H. Bloxham, S.C., to navy yard, Charleston, S.C.  
Lt. G. P. Smallman, S.C., to duty course instr., Q.M.C. Subsistence School, Chicago.  
Chief Bttn. C. C. R. Christensen to Rec. Ship, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Chief Gun. F. Myers to Nav. Air Sta., Coco Solo, C.Z.  
Gun. S. A. Devlin to U.S.S. Omaha.  
Note—Lt. D. A. Musk died at San Diego, Calif., April 29, 1924.

## TENTATIVE SAILINGS, NAVAL TRANSPORTS

New York to Pacific—Chaumont, July 16.  
Hampton Roads to West Indies, Beaufort, May 27; Kittery, May 28; Kittery, July 2; Beaufort, July 8.  
San Francisco to Atlantic—Chaumont, June 9.  
San Pedro to Puget Sound—Cuyama, May 26.  
San Francisco to Cavite, Argonne, June 14; Vega, June 12.  
Cavite to San Francisco—Newport News, May 9.  
Puget Sound to Alaska—Gold Star, May 10.



## ORDERS FOR THE NAVY

Commander-in-Chief—Calvin Coolidge, President  
Secretary of the Navy—Curtis D. Wilbur  
Assistant Secretary of the Navy—Theodore Roosevelt  
Chief of Naval Operations—Admiral E. W. Eberle

### JUNIOR OFFICERS, NAVY

May 7, 1924

The following junior officers have become eligible for promotion in various grades and ranks of the Navy:

**Line.**  
Lt. Amd. F. H. Schofield  
Lt. E. H. Watson  
Lt. E. W. Tod  
Lt. Cdr. J. H. Strong

**Medical Corps.**  
R. Ad. A. M. D. McCormick  
Capt. H. C. Curl  
Cdr. R. A. Warner  
Lt. Cdr. V. H. Carson

**Dental Corps.**  
Rear Adm. T. S. Jewett  
Lt. Cdr. T. L. Sampson  
Lt. Cdr. J. D. P. Hodapp

**Construction Corps.**  
Rear Adm. R. Stocker  
Capt. E. S. Land  
Cdr. G. Fulton  
Lt. Cdr. F. L. Crisp

**Civil Engineer Corps.**  
Rear Adm. F. R. Harris  
Capt. G. A. MacKay  
Cdr. G. A. Duncan  
Lt. Cdr. H. F. Bruns

### MARINE CORPS

May 7, 1924

**Commissioned.**  
Col. M. Babb  
Lt. Col. R. O. Underwood  
Maj. W. B. Sullivan  
1st Lt. W. W. Wensinger

**Will make number in grade indicated on next vacancy.**  
Col. H. C. Reisinger  
Lt. Col. J. F. Dyer  
Maj. D. L. S. Brewster  
Capt. D. J. Kendall  
1st Lt. H. D. Palmer

### MARINE CORPS ORDERS

MAY 1—1st Lt. H. B. Enyart to M.B., N.O.B., Pearl Harbor, H.T.  
MAY 3—Col. L. H. Moses to M.B., navy yard, Boston.  
Maj. N. A. Eastman to duty as Div. Marine Officer, Division 3, Battleship Divisions, Battle Fleet.

Maj. R. B. Farquharson to M.B., Quantico.  
Maj. W. S. Harrison to 1st Brigade, Port-au-Prince, Haiti.  
Maj. A. J. White to M.B., Parris Island.  
Capt. H. Hardy, A.P.M., to M.B., Quantico, Va.  
Capt. J. F. Jeffords to M.D., U.S.S. Texas.  
Capt. C. N. Muldrow to M.B., N.O.B., Key West, Fla.  
Capt. O. P. Smith to Hqs. Marine Corps, Washington, D.C.

MAY 5—Capt. G. B. Reynolds to 2d Brigade, Santo Domingo, D.R.  
Capt. E. E. Eiler, 1st Lts. C. W. Meigs and T. McK. Schuler to 1st Brigade, Haiti.  
1st Lt. C. Connette, E. O. Kirkpatrick and 2d Lt. W. H. Lee to 2d Brig., Santo Domingo.  
2d Lt. E. H. Price to 1st Brigade, Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

MAY 6—1st Lt. W. J. Whaling to M.B., Quantico, Va.  
1st Lt. W. J. Stamper to M.B., navy yard, Mare Island, Calif.  
2d Lt. D. D. Spangler to 2d Brigade, Santo Domingo, D.R.  
2d Lt. R. E. Forsyth to duty at M.B., N.S., Cavite, P.I., upon reporting to the Commander-in-Chief, Asiatic Fleet.

MAY 7—Col. J. T. Myers, A.A. and I., detached Hqs. Dept. of Pacific, M.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.  
Capt. A. Kingston to M.B., navy yard, Norfolk, Va.  
Capt. C. Grimm to Quantico, Va.  
Capt. C. H. Martin, R. E. West, B. A. Bone, M. Kearney, J. K. Martenstein, 1st Lts. W. L. Harding, F. E. Stack, L. B. Reagan, G. A. Plambeck, R. Skinner and R. R. Robinson to M.B., Quantico, Va.  
1st Lt. C. D. Baylis to 1st Brigade, Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

### Orders to Officers May 2

Capt. H. N. Jensen to home relieved all active duty.  
Comdr. E. Friedrich to Asiatic Station.  
Comdr. R. A. Spruance to command U.S.S. Dale.  
Lt. Comdr. R. M. Griffin to continue duty in command U.S.S. Marcus.  
Lt. Comdr. S. L. H. Hazard to U.S.S. Kane.  
Lt. Comdr. S. W. King to U.S.S. Pennsylvania.  
Lt. Comdr. T. S. McCloy to comdg. off., Rec. Bks., Hampton Roads.

Lt. Comdr. P. Y. Rhodes to U.S.S. Rappahannock.  
Lt. Comdr. R. E. Sampson to U.S.S. Mercy.  
Lt. Comdr. E. F. Tilley to treat. Naval Hosp., Norfolk.  
Lt. Comdrs. J. B. Will and E. M. Williams to duty under instr. Naval War College, Newport.  
Lts. H. L. Challenger to U.S.S. S-24; H. D. Dougherty continue treat. Naval Hosp., Norfolk; J. C. Heck to U.S.S. Rigel; A. R. McCann to U.S.S. Chewink; C. L. Nichols to 3d Naval Dist.

Lts. (j.g.) W. G. Dow to U.S.S. Maury; P. L. Mather to U.S.S. S-11; R. Oeser to U.S.S. S-35.  
Ens. W. P. Folk to U.S.S. Galveston.  
Medical Corps—Lt. Comdr. F. H. Haigler to Asiatic Station; Lt. D. Dickinson, jr., to U.S.S. Hannibal; Lt. R. H. Jenkins to U.S.S. Jason; Lt. J. L. Manion to U.S.S. Altair.

Supply Corps—Comdr. W. C. Fite to navy yard, Charleston, S.C.; Lt. C. A. Miley to U.S.S. Brazos; Lt. J. F. Rupert to conn. f.o. U.S.S. Niagara; L. S. Steeves to Nav. Training Sta., San Diego, Calif.  
Chief Guns. W. W. Eagers to U.S.S. Arizona; A. J. Gahagan to U.S.S. Beaver.  
Guns. N. B. Frey to U.S.S. Melville; R. J. Ostrander to U.S.S. Prometheus; V. A. Strunk to U.S.S. Maryland.

Machs. E. S. Nason to conn. f.o. U.S.S. Whitney; J. A. Senders to U.S.S. Pittsburgh; F. W. Sievert to navy yard, Puget Sound, Wash.  
Pay Clerks C. W. Dunlap to U.S.S. Bushnell; J. Ermeries to U.S.S. Cuyama; P. J. Loegel to Commissary Store, navy yard, New York, N.Y.; F. Traxler to U.S.S. Rappahannock; J. R. Wallace to U.S.S. Henderson; C. C. Walling to U.S.S. San Francisco, Calif.  
Dispatch from flag Pittsburgh, May 1: Lt. (j.g.) W. F. Fitzgerald to U.S.S. Parrott.

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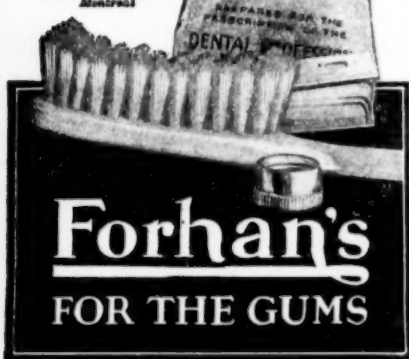
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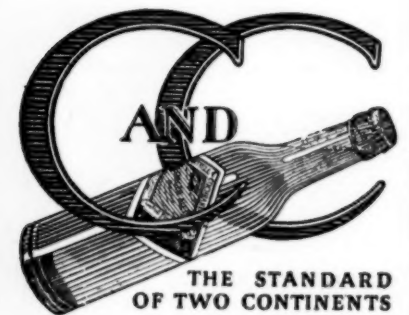
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Cadets to be ensigns, rank May 15, 1924:  
Nathaniel B. Dyer, Raymond V. Marron.  
Permanent commissioned officers to be temporarily promoted to rank indicated, to rank from April 21, 1924, in accordance with act of April 21, 1924:  
Comdrs. to be capt.: G. C. Carmine, D. F. A. de Otte.  
Lt. comdrs. to be comdrs.: W. J. Wheeler, E. Blake, jr., P. H. Scott, J. F. Hottel, H. D. Hinckley, B. L. Brockway, J. Boedeker, W. H. Munter, P. W. Lauriat, L. C. Corvill.  
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APRIL 21—Btsn. (d.) J. E. Jacobs assigned Jones Beach Station as officer in charge.  
Chf. Btsn. Mate N. F. White assigned Lone Hill Station as officer in charge.

APRIL 23—Btsn. H. Funk assigned Alexander Hamilton.  
Gunr. O. P. Bourne assigned Alexander Hamilton.  
Carp. K. O. Bjorge assigned Alexander Hamilton.  
Mach. H. B. Deets assigned Alexander Hamilton.  
Pay Clk. C. P. Thomas assigned Alexander Hamilton.

APRIL 24—Lt. Comdr. W. J. Keester and Lt. (E) H. N. Perham assigned Philadelphia.

APRIL 29—Capt. J. M. Moore assigned command Southern Division, P.C.

Lt. Comdr. S. V. Parker assigned Philadelphia, Pa., and to command of Paulding when in commission.  
Lt. Comdr. R. L. Jack assigned Philadelphia, Pa., and to command of Jouett when placed in commission.

Lt. Comdr. (E) G. W. Cairnes assigned Philadelphia, Pa., as engineer of Downes when placed in commission.

Lt. Comdr. (E) J. F. Hahn assigned Philadelphia, Pa., as engineer of Paulding when in commission.

Lt. Comdr. M. J. Ryan assigned Philadelphia, Pa., and to command of Patterson when in commission.

Lt. (E) W. J. Kossler assigned Philadelphia, Pa., as engineer of Beale when in commission.

APRIL 30—Lt. Comdr. E. Blake assigned Seneca, in command.

Lt. Comdr. R. R. Waesche assigned Philadelphia, Pa., and to command of Beale when in commission.

Lt. (E) L. E. Wells assigned Philadelphia, Pa., as engineer of Ammen when in commission.

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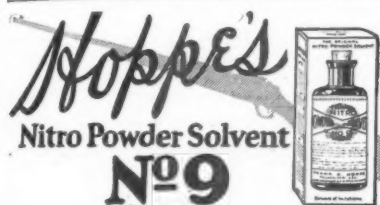
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## ORDERS FOR THE ARMY

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at the Ecole de Guerre, France, beginning about Nov. 1, and sail at once from New York city. (April 30, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to the organization specified for duty: Maj. F. B. Jordan, 17th F.A., Fort Bragg, N.C.; F. H. Gallup, 4th F.A., Fort Sam Houston, Texas. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. C. H. Hayes, F.A., assigned to 1st F.A. for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. B. H. Perry, F.A., June 30 assigned to 89d Field Artillery, to Fort Benning. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. W. C. Duncel, F.A., July 30 assigned to 18th F.A., Fort Sill, for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. S. Richardson, F.A., Sept. 1 assigned to 2d Division, Fort Sam Houston, for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. C. E. Boyle, F.A., Sept. 1 assigned to 3d Division, Presidio of San Francisco. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. G. D. Shea, F.A., assigned to 1st Cavalry Div. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. P. R. Jones, F.A., will report to Army retiring board, Fitzsimons General Hospital, for examination. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. L. B. Bixby, F.A., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., University of Chicago, July 30. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. H. C. Floyd, F.A., Sept. 1 assigned to 1st F.A., Fort Sill, Okla. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. J. Hinton, F.A., Sept. 1 assigned to 2d Division, Fort Sam Houston. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. J. L. Holman, F.A., to Fort Bragg, N.C., 13th F.A. Brigade for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Col. W. W. Harts, F.A., assigned to 1st Division, 1st Corps Area, for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Col. H. W. Butner, F.A., from duty as assistant commandant Field Artillery School, and is assigned to 5th Field Artillery, Fort Bragg, N.C. June 30 for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery Sept. 1 assigned to regiment specified for duty: Capt. J. H. Keatinge, 4th F.A., Fort Sam Houston; J. Nash, 83d F.A., Fort Benning; 1st Lt. R. W. Hasbrouck, 16th F.A., Fort Myer, Va. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to 3d Division for duty: Maj. F. A. Turner, J. Andrews, C. D. Daly. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to the regiment specified for duty: Maj. R. E. De R. Hoyle to 16th F.A., Fort Myer, Va.; L. E. Jones to 83d F.A., Fort Benning, Ga. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery to Washington, to Chief of Field Artillery for duty in his office: Maj. R. M. Danforth, A. C. Sandeford. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery attached to 1st F.A., Fort Sill, for duty until Sept. 5, at which time they will report in person to commandant 5th Field Artillery School for duty as instructors: Maj. L. P. Collins, L. R. Cole. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery to Fort Sill for duty as instructors: Maj. P. Hayes, A. J. Betcher, H. L. C. Jones. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to 1st Cavalry Division for duty: Capt. W. B. Sumner, 1st Lt. J. C. Cook, V. L. Knadler. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. B. A. Day, F.A., report to commandant Field Artillery School for duty as an instructor. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to organization specified for duty: Capt. V. E. Prichard, 18th F.A.; G. H. Dasher, 1st F.A.; W. J. Schaal, jr., 1st F.A.; W. M. Wiener, 18th F.A.; 1st Lt. A. E. King, 18th F.A. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to 1st Division for duty: Capt. T. W. Wrenn, R. T. Guthrie, W. Michener, 3d C.A.; R. E. Dupuy, H. B. Dawson, 1st C.A.; G. H. Stuts, 3d C.A.; A. M. Sheets, 2d C.A.; R. B. Willis, 3d C.A.; 1st Lts. F. Camm, J. H. Corridon, 1st C.A.; E. S. Neiland, H. Cort, 3d C.A. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to organizations specified for duty: Capt. O. M. Moore, 14th F.A., Fort Sheridan, Ill.; J. S. Tate, 16th F.A., Fort Myer, Va.; S. McGeehee, 5th F.A., Fort Bragg, N.C.; T. C. Harry and H. B. Berry, 4th F.A., Fort Sam Houston, Texas; C. S. Richards, 2d F.A., W. F. Kernan, 5th F.A., and D. Bell, 17th F.A., Fort Bragg, N.C.; H. E. Camp, 4th F.A., Fort Sam Houston, Texas; D. T. Boisseau, 9th F.A., Fort Des Moines, Ia.; E. D. Ferguson, 17th F.A., Fort Bragg, N.C.; J. R. Young, 4th F.A., Fort Sam Houston, Texas; 1st Lt. P. P. Rhodes, 14th F.A., Fort Sheridan, Ill.; 1st Lt. B. Campbell, 83d F.A., Fort Benning, Ga. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to 2d Division, Fort Sam Houston, for duty: Capt. A. S. Harrington, R. Van K. Harris, jr., J. W. Faulconer, jr., G. E. Cook, L. F. Kosch, A. F. Doran, P. T. Quinn. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Field Artillery assigned to 3d Division for duty: Capt. M. O. Walton, jr.; 1st Lt. D. O. Hickey, F. E. Kauffman. (May 1, W.D.)

Sergt. P. Boker, 6th F.A., to duty with Pennsylvania N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Field Artillery, Pittsburgh. (May 1, W.D.)

Col. C. D. Herron, F.A., assigned to 1st F.A. and will join. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. J. G. Burr, F.A., to Fort Bragg, N.C., as a member of the Field Artillery Board. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. E. T. Spencer, F.A., to 3d Division, 9th C.A., for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. A. R. Harris, F.A., to Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, Okla., as student Sept. 10. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. A. Boone, F.A., to Minneapolis, Minn., as instructor Minnesota N.G. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. J. W. Faulconer, jr., F.A., assigned to 1st Division, 3d Corps Area, for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Field Artillery officers detailed as students Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, not later than Sept. 10: Capt. C. E. Hurdiss, A. M. Gurney. (May 2, W.D.)

1st Lt. A. E. Higgins, F.A., to West Point, N.Y., not later than Aug. 1 for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. E. J. Dawley, F.A., to duty at Fort Leavenworth, from West Point, on June 30. (May 2, W.D.)

### COAST ARTILLERY CORPS.

MAJ. GEN. F. W. COE, C. OF C.A.

1st Lt. R. E. DeMerritt, C.A.C., June 1 to duty as an instructor Maine N.G., Rockland. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. D. J. Rutherford, C.A.C., to sail from San Francisco for Manila about Aug. 1. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. C. L. Williams, C.A.C., to Fort Monroe Sept. 15, to Coast Artillery School as a student. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. G. R. Butz, C.A.C., Sept. 1 to 11th Coast Artillery, Fort H. G. Wright, N.Y. (May 2, W.D.)

2d Lt. C. B. Wahle, C.A.C., May 24 to San Francisco and sail about July 2 for Hawaii for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. H. R. Oldfield, C.A.C., to duty as student at Army War College. (May 3, W.D.)

Maj. C. B. Meyer, C.A.C., about June 20 to Kelly Field, Texas, for duty, pending detail in the Air Service. Maj. Meyer is detailed in Air Service, effective Sept. 15, and will then proceed to Brooks Field, Texas, for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

Maj. C. O. Schudt, C.A.C., to duty as instructor New York N.G., and to New York city for station. (May 3, W.D.)

Maj. S. S. Giffin, C.A.C., to Hdqrs. Fort Eustis, Va., for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

Officers of C.A.C. to Camp Alfred Vail, N.J., not later than Sept. 15 as students: Capt. G. W. Whybark, R. E. Hill. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. J. C. Kilbourne, C.A.C., to duty at U.S.M.A., from foreign service, Aug. 25. (May 3, W.D.)

Lt. Col. J. P. Hopkins, C.A.C., July 1 to duty with O.R., to non-divisional units Peoria, Ill. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. E. C. Callicutt, C.A.C., to Fort Monroe, Va., not later than Sept. 15 as student. (May 3, W.D.)

Officers of Coast Artillery to report Sept. 15 to Coast Artillery School for duty as a student: Capt. G. B. Welch, C. H. Ainsworth, H. W. Cochran; 1st Lts. A. L. Parmelee, F. B. Waters, D. D. Lamson, J. H. Smith. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. R. A. Ericson, C.A.C., to U.S.M.A. for duty Aug. 25. (May 3, W.D.)

### INFANTRY.

MAJ. GEN. C. S. FARNSWORTH, C. OF I.

Lt. Col. H. P. Hobbs, 29th Inf., to duty as P.M.S.T., University of Kentucky, Lexington. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. R. W. Hardenbergh, Inf., is detailed in the I.G.D. about June 20; to Governors Island, N.Y., for temporary duty summer training, and will report Sept. 16 for duty with the I.G.D., 2d Corps Area Hdqrs. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. J. B. Woolnough, Inf., July 1 to duty in the office of the Chief, Militia Bureau. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. E. Urrutia, jr., Inf., to duty as an instructor Porto Rico N.G., and to sail July 10 for Porto Rico. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. J. H. Cochran, Inf., to San Francisco and sail about Aug. 1 for Manila for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. R. B. Lovett, Inf., to San Francisco and sail about Aug. 1 for Manila for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. F. E. Linnell, 17th Inf., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Howard University, Washington. (April 30, W.D.)

Capt. H. D. Adair, 20th Inf., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., University of Washington, Seattle. (April 30, W.D.)

1st Lt. D. L. Hardee, Inf., is assigned to

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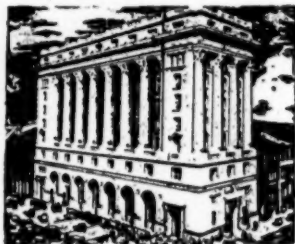
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By Raymond V. Sykes

The traction situation in New York city is a highly involved one, and consequently subject to a good deal of misunderstanding among the investors holding the various traction securities. No comprehensive review of the problem can be attempted here, but a few of the high points which may throw some light on the subject are presented. Over the last two years the Interborough Rapid Transit and the Brooklyn Rapid Transit have undergone reorganization and scaling down of capitalization. The New York Railways is in the process of reorganization. The Third Avenue system appears able to pull through without recourse to the courts. Only the subways and elevated lines are considered here as the Rapid Transit system, the street railway problem coming under another head.

Under Contract No. 3 with the Interborough and Contract No. 4 with the B.R.T., the City of New York agrees to furnish a large part of the necessary capital for building subway lines and elevated extensions, while the companies agree to provide all equipment and operate the lines. After operating expenses have been deducted from earnings the companies are entitled to a "preferential"—a sum sufficient to cover all company interest and sinking fund charges and allow a profit on the investment. The preferentials are cumulative and after the companies have received these preferentials in full, the City of New York is entitled to 7.76 per cent. on its contribution, also cumulative, and if any further surplus remains the city and companies share equally.

The City of New York has invested a total of about \$250,000,000, raised through the sale of city bonds, carrying interest at the rate of from 4 to 4½ per cent. Within recent years operating expenses have increased and income has not been sufficient to meet the stipulated preferentials due the companies. The result is that the City of New York is receiving no income on its \$250,000,000 investment, but must pay interest and sinking fund charges to the extent of over \$11,000,000 annually, which is met through taxes. The accumulated preferentials owed the companies is now something over \$70,000,000. These preferentials must be liquidated before the city is entitled to any share in earnings.

Traffic has been increasing by leaps and bounds. Official figures indicate an average gain on all transit lines in the city of 2,500 new passengers each day on the average. This is progressive, and, at the end of the year, aggregates 150,000,000. At five cents each the gain is equivalent to \$7,500,000 in additional revenues.

The subways have adequately demonstrated that they cannot operate profitably on a five-cent fare, and consequently private capital cannot be attracted for new construction at the present time. The City of New York cannot invest further, to any extent, for the reason that the city's debt limit practically has been reached. The State Constitution provides, however, that any debt created for a specific purpose, such as subways, may be released from the debt limit if that particular debt is made self-sustaining. Under a seven or eight-cent fare the present subway debt of about \$250,000,000 would be made self-sustaining and the money could be immediately released for new construction, and when the new lines are established on a paying basis, could again be released for more new lines, or in other words, a revolving fund could be established.

The situation, therefore, resolves itself into two main future possibilities, first, consent on the part of the city administration to an increase in fare, which would make possible the release of the \$250,000,000 for new lines; or second, a continuation of the present attitude toward the maintenance of the five-cent fare, which means no new construction. If the first course is taken, all lines, of course, will enjoy the higher fare. If the second is followed, it means a greater density of traffic on existing lines. The latter is probably what will happen. As pointed out above, gross income is expected to increase about \$7,500,000 next year, but as capacity train service is now in effect the overflow must be packed into the present number of trains or diverted to the elevated and surface lines. It costs no more to operate a train over a given distance whether filled to capacity or with only a few passengers and the increase in gross referred to will be carried through with few deductions in earnings.

The seven bonds listed in the table represent the best of the many New York city traction issues, viewed with the respective purpose in mind of investment and speculation. The Brooklyn City first 5s, 1941, are of the highest grade, while the Third Avenue Adjustment Income 5s, 1960, which are paying 5 per cent., and an occasional extra, should be bought only for speculation.

Brooklyn City 1st 5s, 1941.....88 6.15%

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Kings Co. El. 4s, 1949.....73 6.45

Union Railway 1st 5s, 1942.....74 7.70

Nassau Elec. 1st 4s, 1951.....56 8.00

Bk. Queens & Sub. 1st 5s, 1941.....64 9.25

Third Ave. Adj. Inc. 5s, 1960.....43 11.60

### ARMY ORDERS

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29th Infantry, Fort Benning, for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Sergt. N. Curtis, 17th Inf., to duty with Iowa N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Infantry, Shenandoah. (April 30, W.D.)

Lt. Col. H. C. Williams to duty with O.R., 3d Corps Area; to duty with 99th Division, Pittsburgh. (May 1, W.D.)

Lt. Col. C. H. Ball, Inf., to duty with O.R., 85th Div., Saginaw, Mich. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Infantry assigned to regiment specified for duty: Lt. Col. P. C. Galleher to 29th Inf., Fort Benning; Maj. D. Halford to 6th Inf., Jefferson Barracks, Mo. (May 1, W.D.)

Maj. J. P. Bubb, Inf., to duty with O.R., 96th Div., Portland, Ore. (May 1, W.D.)

Maj. J. R. N. Weaver, Inf., to duty as student Infantry School, Fort Benning, Sept. 15. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Infantry to Fort Benning, Infantry School, for duty as instructors: Maj. D. G. C. Garrison, L. McD. Silvester, M. S. Lough, F. V. Schneider, W. A. Pickering. (May 1, W.D.)

Maj. E. Butcher, Inf., assigned to 29th Infantry, Fort Benning, for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Resignation of Capt. F. M. Lee, Inf., is accepted. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. C. E. Campbell, Inf., to Washington, to Chief, Militia Bureau, for duty in his office. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. C. H. Wilson, 9th Inf., to duty as P.M.S.T., Wilberforce University, Wilberforce, Ohio. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. G. A. M. Anderson, Inf., to Fort Benning on Oct. 1; to Infantry School as student. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Infantry to Fort Benning, Oct. 1, to Infantry School as students: Capt. G. C. Oppy, W. Jesse, L. C. Dill, C. C. Griffin, H. N. Burkhalter. (May 1, W.D.)

Capt. W. A. Hedden, Inf., assigned to 22d Infantry, Fort McPherson, Ga., for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Officers of Infantry to Fort Benning on Oct. 1 for duty as students, Infantry School: Capt. F. W. Rase, J. Wheelin, M. B. Bell, J. H. Hagan, W. J. Niederpruem, N. W. Speece. (May 1, W.D.)

1st Lt. E. M. Starr, Inf., aid, assigned to 3d Division July 1 for duty. (May 1, W.D.)

Col. I. W. Leonard, Inf. (with F.A.), to the station hospital, Fort Sam Houston, for treatment. (May 2, W.D.)

Lt. Col. A. L. Briggs, Inf. (S.C.), June 1 to duty with O.R., 1st Corps Area, Boston. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. E. E. McCammon, Inf., to duty as P.M.S.T., Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. G. I. Cross, 24th Inf., assigned to 1st Division for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Capt. C. Coulter, Jr., Inf., to duty as student Infantry School, Fort Benning, Oct. 1. (May 2, W.D.)

Infantry officers to duty as students, advanced class, 1924-25 course, the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Sept. 15: Maj. A. W. Chilton, Capt. O. N. Bradley. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. O. W. Griswold, Inf., June 30 from West Point, N.Y., to Fort Leavenworth for duty. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. M. C. Mitchell, Inf., to Fort Sill, Okla., for duty with school staff. (May 3, W.D.)

Maj. M. O. French, Inf., assigned to 2d Division, Fort Sill, for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

Maj. A. Fletcher, Inf., to duty with O.R., Presidio of San Francisco. (May 3, W.D.)

Officers of Infantry to Fort Benning on Oct. 1, to Infantry School as students: Capt. G. R. Schweickert, H. A. Brickley, K. B. Gunn. (May 3, W.D.)

Capt. L. R. Boyd, Inf., to Fort Benning; Oct. 1 to Infantry School for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

Capt. A. H. Peyton, 9th Inf., from Infantry School and will rejoin regiment in 2d Division. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. J. A. Gilruth, Inf., leave for two months, about June 1. (May 3, W.D.)

1st Lt. J. A. Gilruth, Inf., June 1 assigned to 3d Division, with station in Alaska. (May 3, W.D.)

Capt. E. M. Peixotta, 45th Inf., to duty with O.R., 9th Corps Area, with non-divisional group Presidio of San Francisco. (May 3, W.D.)

Infantry officers assigned to 1st Division for duty: Capt. G. K. Crockett, 18th Inf.; W. H. Gordon, Inf.; S. J. Grogan, 28th Inf.; G. E. Kelsch, 16th Inf. (May 3, W.D.)

Infantry officers assigned to 2d Division, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty: Capt. C. S. Brodbent, Jr., C. W. Cutchin, T. G. Hannon. (May 3, W.D.)

Officers of Infantry to join regiment specified for duty: Capt. R. W. Brown, 6th Inf., Jefferson Barracks; F. M. Cochran, 11th Inf., Fort Benjamin Harrison; W. E. Vernon, 34th Inf., Fort Eustis. (May 3, W.D.)

Infantry officers assigned to 3d Division for duty: Capt. C. C. Bodeker, 28th Inf.; J. F. Butler, Inf.; H. W. Edmonds, Inf.; C. E. Gaskins, Inf.; H. N. Gilbert, 30th Inf.; O. W. Humphries, Inf.; T. A. Pedley, Jr., 30th Inf. (May 3, W.D.)

Officers of Infantry assigned to regiment specified for duty: Capt. L. Donovan to 10th Infantry; E. J. Houck to 2d Infantry; P. L. Sadler to 2d Infantry; R. P. Smith to 10th Infantry. (May 3, W.D.)

Capt. J. H. Crozier, Inf., about June 15 to Fort Benning for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

Capt. C. R. Lutzon, 9th Inf., having been found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, is retired from active service. (May 3, W.D.)

Capt. M. V. Fortier, 8th Inf., will report to C.O. of his regiment for assignment to duty and station. (May 3, W.D.)

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Infantry officers assigned to regiment specified for duty: Capt. W. B. Allen to 17th Inf., Fort Crook; E. C. Ayer and R. D. Bell to 5th Inf., Fort Williams; W. L. Blanton to 34th Inf., Fort Eustis; W. H. Craig and W. Fisk to 11th Inf., Fort Benjamin Harrison; R. D. Horton to 5th Inf., Fort Williams; F. W. Huntington to 13th Inf., Fort Howard; O. J. Neundorfer to 12th Inf., Fort Saulnier to 11th Infantry, Fort Benjamin Harrison; W. H. Williams to 22d Inf., Fort McPherson, Ga. (May 3, W.D.)  
 Maj. G. F. N. Dailey, Inf., assigned to 2d Infantry, Fort Sheridan, for duty. (May 3, W.D.)  
 1st Lt. H. E. Beine, Inf., June 1 assigned to 2d Infantry, Fort McPherson, for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

#### AIR SERVICE.

MAJ. GEN. M. M. PATRICK, C. OF A.S.

Officers of Air Service to Langley Field, Va., for duty and instruction on dates indicated: Maj. J. E. Fickel, Oct. 6; W. H. Frank, Sept. 15; W. B. Duty, C. Spatz, Oct. 6; Capt. O. G. Trunk, Oct. 6. (April 30, W.D.)  
 Capt. H. W. Flickinger, A.S., to duty at Mitchell Field, Long Island, N.Y., upon completion of foreign service. (April 30, W.D.)  
 2d Lt. P. H. Kemmer, A.S., to San Francisco and sail about July 2 for Hawaii for duty. (April 30, W.D.)  
 2d Lt. L. P. Whitten, A.S., about Sept. 25 to McCook Field, Ohio, for duty. (April 30, W.D.)

Officers of Air Service to McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 15, for duty and training: Capt. H. R. Harmon, V. B. Dixon, W. F. Kraus, O. S. Ferson; 1st Lts. L. R. P. Reese, E. R. Page, R. Baez, jr., A. H. Foster; 2d Lt. D. B. Phillips. (May 2, W.D.)  
 Capt. O. P. Echols, A.S., to Chief of Staff, Washington, D.C., June 15 for duty. (May 3, W.D.)  
 1st Lt. A. S. Albro, A.S., to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment. (May 3, W.D.)  
 1st Lt. C. C. Chauncey, A.S., to Washington and report June 2 to Chief of Air Service for duty in his office. (May 3, W.D.)  
 1st Lt. R. J. Brown, jr., A.S., June 30 to duty with the O.R., 1st Corps Area, to command the Boston air port, Mass. (May 3, W.D.)

#### TRANSFERS.

1st Lt. A. C. Strickland, Inf., to Air Service on April 24, with rank from July 1, 1920, and will remain on his present duties at Kelly Field. (April 30, W.D.)  
 2d Lt. H. P. Rush, Inf., Kelly Field, to Air Service April 24. He will remain on his present duties. (April 30, W.D.)

The transfer of 1st Lt. B. C. Snow, C.E., to Coast Art. Corps on April 29, with rank from June 25, 1919, is announced. He is assigned to coast defenses of San Francisco, Fort Winfield Scott. (May 3, W.D.)  
 The transfer of 2d Lt. C. E. O'Connor, Inf., to the Air Service on April 24 is announced. (May 3, W.D.)

#### LEAVES.

One month to Maj. F. Moorman, G.S., about June 20; 2 months to Maj. W. C. Lemen, C.E., about June 10; 2 months 10 days to Capt. A. M. Curney, F.A., about July 1, to leave U.S.; 2 months 15 days to 1st Lt. W. B. Souza, A.S., to leave U.S.; 2 months 15 days to Capt. O. N. Bradley, Inf., about July 1; 2 months 25 days to Wnt. Ofc. W. F. Rock, Atlanta, Ga.; 3 months 28 days to Col. J. W. Furlow, F.A. (April 30, W.D.)  
 One month 14 days to Capt. H. C. Jones, F.A., about July 18; 1 month 15 days to 2d Lt. J. J. Billo, Inf., about June 15; 1 month 10 days to Capt. R. B. Bottom, C.A.C., about July 7; 2 months 7 days to Maj. T. Barnes, Cav., about July 1; 2 months 12 days to Wnt. Ofc. J. Brierley at Fort Crook; 3 months to 1st Lt. K. Broadus, 26th Cav. (May 1, W.D.)  
 One month to Capt. P. G. Capps, M.C., about June 10; 1 month 16 days to 2d Lt. J. D. Box, Inf., about July 16; 1 month 15 days to Maj. R. T. Ward, G.S., about July 1; 2 months to Col. K. Walker, Cav., about July 1; 2 months U.S.; 1 month to 2d Lt. E. C. Maling, 24th Inf., June 8; 3 months to Maj. L. B. Chambers, C.A.C.; 3 months to Capt. C. Coulter, Jr., Inf., about July 1; leave granted Capt. H. C. Dempewolf, Inf., is extended 1 month; 3 months 15 days to Col. A. W. Bjornstad, Inf., about May 30, to leave U.S. (May 2, W.D.)  
 Two months 15 days to Maj. A. W. Chilton, Inf., about July 1; 3 months to Capt. O. S. Ferson, A.S., about May 5; 2 months to 2d Lt. R. B. Johnston, Inf., about July 1; 1 month to Maj. V. L. Peterson, C.E., about July 25; 1 month 20 days to 2d Lt. F. N. Persons, A.S., about May 8. (May 3, W.D.)  
 Three months 10 days to Maj. M. Murray, F.A., about May 31, 1924, to leave U.S.  
 One month 7 days to Capt. A. Pendleton, Inf., about Aug. 25. (May 3, W.D.)  
 One month 15 days to Lt. Col. J. W. Gulick, G.S., about July 1. (May 3, W.D.)  
 Two months to Capt. W. P. O'Brien, 23d Inf., about May 15. (May 3, W.D.)

#### OFFICERS TO FRENCH SCHOOL

Officers to course of instruction at Ecole de Guerre, France, about Nov. 1: Maj. R. C. Richardson, jr., Cav.; P. C. Bullard, C.E. (April 30, W.D.)

#### ARMY FIELD CLERK.

Resignation of Army Field Clerk T. F. Mahoney, Boston, May 5, is accepted. (May 3, W.D.)  
 Army Field Clerk J. L. Damour to Chicago for duty at corps area hqrs. (May 3, W.D.)  
 Army Field Clerk J. R. Whelan to New York city and sail about June 13 for the Panama C.Z. for duty. (May 3, W.D.)

#### RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN.

The following enlisted men were placed on the retired list at the places named: Master Sergt. J. F. Moore, 16th Tank Batin., at Camp Meade, Md.; Sergt. P. F. Flanagan, C.A.C., at Fort Adams, R.I.; Master Sergt. W. F. Leck, 18th Inf., at Fort Slocum, N.Y.; Master Sergt. J. H. Johnson, 7th Inf., at Vancouver Bks., Washington. (April 30, W.D.)

Staff Sergt. G. McCloud, M.D., at Camp Stephen D. Little, Nogales, Ariz.; 1st Sergt. D. Ockendon, 44th Ord. Co., at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. (May 1, W.D.)

Master Sergt. T. Fowler, 30th Inf., at Presidio of San Francisco; Staff Sergt. J. M. Lowe, Q.M.C., at Fort Washington, Md.; 1st Sergt. E. F. Hannum, 1st Cav., at Camp Marfa, Texas; Corpl. C. Reinacher, C.A.C., at Fort Hamilton, N.Y. (May 2, W.D.)

1st Sergt. B. F. Lee, 82d P.A. Batin. (Horse), at Fort Bliss, Texas; 1st Sergt. E. T. Uhl, 11th Cav., at Presidio of Monterey, Calif.; 1st Sergt. R. Tyler, 24th Inf., at Fort Benning; 1st Sergt. W. Moody, 25th Inf., at Nogales, Ariz. (May 3, W.D.)

#### D.E.M.L.

Sergt. C. E. Hensley, D.E.M.L. (appointed this date from private 1st class, D.E.M.L.), to duty with North Carolina N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Infantry. (May 3, W.D.)

#### ORGANIZED RESERVES.

Capt. H. Swift, O.O.R.C., to active duty May 11 Rock Island, Ill. (April 30, W.D.)

2d Lt. G. I. Ross, O.O.R.C., to active duty May 12 Springfield Armory. (April 30, W.D.)

Maj. P. S. Pittenger, S.O.R.C., to active duty May 25 Washington, D.C. (May 1, W.D.)

2d Lt. F. Hanas, O.O.R.C., to active duty May 11 Rock Island, Ill. (May 2, W.D.)

Maj. R. N. Greene, M.O.R.C., to active duty May 12 School of Aviation Medicine, Mitchell Field, N.Y., for instruction. (May 3, W.D.)

2d Lt. A. G. Girlinghouse, Q.M.O.R.C., to active duty May 19 at New Orleans for training. (May 3, W.D.)

#### CHANGES OF STATION OF TROOPS

The following changes in stations of organizations were announced by the War Department on April 30:

Co. A, 35th Inf., to Schofield Bks., H.T.  
 Co. L, 10th Inf., to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

Service Co., 34th Inf., to Camp Meade, Md.  
 1st Bn., 4th Field Art., to Camp at Gatun, C.Z.

Motor Transport Co. No., 89 demobilized.

#### RETIREMENTS OF N.C.O.

MASTER SERGT. TAYLOR B. HICKMAN, 30th Inf., U.S.A., was placed on the retired list at the Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., April 11, 1924, upon the completion of thirty years' service. He first enlisted in the 3d Tennessee Volunteers and served with that regiment throughout the Spanish-American War. He entered the Regular Army in 1900 and served continuously since that date. During his thirty years' service Sergt. Hickman served in the Philippine Islands, in Siberia, on the Mexican border, and at numerous points where troops are stationed in the United States. He was recommended for the Medal of Honor by Lt. Col. Charles A. Coolidge, 9th Inf., for distinguished service in the battle of Tientsin; recommended for the Medal of Honor by Lt. W. H. Waldron, 9th Inf.; recommended for the certificate of merit by Capt. John M. Sigworth, 9th Inf., for distinguished service at the massacre of Co. C, 9th Inf., at Balangiga, Samar, Sept. 28, 1901; recommended for the certificate of merit by Maj. Irwin, 1st Inf. He was awarded a certificate of merit by President Roosevelt in 1902 for gallantry in action in the battle of Tientsin, China, July 13, 1900, and was awarded the D.S.M. in May, 1920.

#### COAST GUARD

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#### Appointment of Cadets and Cadet Engineers

The Coast Guard cadet examining board has submitted its report. The total number of men designated for the examination was 376, and of this number 237 appeared for examination. Failure to pass the physical examination reduced the number to 191, of whom 59 passed the mental examination.

The following have been offered appointments as cadets: Marshall E. Locke, jr., Langford Anderson, Clarence F. Edge, James Smith, Aubrey K. Dodson, Brendan McK. Greeley, William T. Schellhaus, John E. Fairbank, Joseph A. Kerrins, David K. Armstrong, Vance A. Hill, James Lee, Harry C. Anderson, Jr., Donald E. McKay, Robert A. Randolph, Robert F. Althaus, Stephen H. Evans, Bartus C. Spicer, Howard G. Wise.

The following have been offered appointments as cadet engineers: A. Molner, Henry A. Meyer, J. M. Hall, Albert J. Buscher, George M. Phannemiller, Harold A. Zahl, Samuel C. Latta, jr., John A. Glynn, Harold S. Maude, Leslie B. Tollaksen, Charles E. Smith, George E. Ericson, Ted M. Griesenbeck, Ashby C. McGraw, John L. Steinmetz, Joseph D. Tompkins, George V. Gahn, William A. Fields, George O. Gjoerloff, Daniel Brady, Alexander L. Ford, Clinton W. Nolan, Fred W. Vetterick, Herbert F. Walsh, George H. Bowerman, Stanley C. Linholm, James A. Carolan, Reginald H. French, Edward H. Thiele, William J. Chase, Vernon E. Day, Alton C. Velia, Richard L. Burke, Whitmore S. Butts, John J. Purcell, George F. Hicks.

Cadet Engrs. Fields and Chase are enlisted men in the Army, and Cadet Engrs. Griesenbeck and McGraw are enlisted men in the Navy.

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## WEST POINT

NEW YORK, APRIL 30.

Mrs. Hinemon and Mrs. Kimball entertained on April 22 with twelve tables of bridge and two of mah jong. Mmes. Stewart, Timberlake and Alexander assisted. Mrs. McCain is the guest of her brother, Mr. Marshall Booker of Red Bank, N.J.

A large and enthusiastic audience attended, on Wednesday evening at Cullum Hall, a clever entertainment in the form of a cabaret given by the officers and ladies of the post for the benefit of the local girl scout fund. A one-act play was splendidly done by Mrs. G. B. McReynolds, Mrs. R. G. Barrows, Capt. J. C. Whitcomb and S. D. Sturgis. A black-face skit by Capt. Whitcomb and Lt. Cranston, also a "mah jong" party enacted by Capt. Fox, Maj. Lewis, Capt. McGuire and Lt. Vidal, full of local witticisms, caused much enjoyment. A tango, danced by Maj. Schwenck and Mrs. Neylands, Capt. McGuire and Mrs. Woodward, Lt. Vidal and Mrs. McGuire, Capt. Woodward and Mrs. Vidal, was beautifully costumed and gracefully done. Each couple gave individual encores, and the burlesque of the dance as an encore by Lt. Vidal and Mrs. McGuire was one of the hits of the evening. The stage lighting and scenic effects by Lt. H. Underwood are deserving of special mention.

Miss Betty Goodloe of San Antonio, who is attending college at New Rochelle, is the guest of Miss Anne Wilson for the Easter holidays. Mrs. W. C. Cobb of Norfolk is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Perkins. Miss Bessie Kelly of New York is also a guest of Maj. and Mrs. Perkins. On Thursday Maj. A. R. Harris entertained at tea for his mother, Mrs. E. C. Harris of Brooklyn. Mmes. Sladen, Carter, Conklin and Woodward assisted, others attending were Mmes. Perkins, Heard, Cobb, Loomis, Hogan, Haw, Keyes, Sharon, Hudnall, McGuire and Whitcomb. Mrs. L. S. Hobbs entertained on April 29 with two tables of bridge. Those playing were Mmes. Woodward, Vidal, McCain, Perkins, Sturgis and Buechler.

Maj. and Mrs. A. W. Chilton had as weekend guests Dr. and Mrs. Gandy. Mrs. J. L. Collins entertained with six tables of bridge on Tuesday. The Monday Bridge Club held its weekly meeting with Mrs. A. H. Wilson. An extra table was included in honor of her house guest, Mrs. C. J. Brooks of Washington.

Mrs. Heard of New York city and Mrs. Eleanor McDonald of Fort Niagara are guests of Maj. and Mrs. J. F. Conklin. Mrs. Conklin spent Easter week in Atlantic City as the guest of Countess Beroldengen. Mrs. Randolph also spent Easter week in Atlantic City as the guest of Col. and Mrs. Franklin Leisenring.

The officers' annual masquerade hop was given on Friday evening at Cullum Hall. There were many beautiful and unique costumes. Handsome prizes were awarded by the judges, Gen. and Mrs. Sladen and Chaplain Wheat, to Maj. and Mrs. H. Thompson, Maj. Lewis and Chilton, Mrs. Cota and Capt. Small. Many dinners were given preceding the hop, the largest by Maj. and Mrs. J. L. Devers. They were hosts to all the Field Artillery officers and their wives stationed at West Point. The colors were red and white, and the officers all wore their blue uniforms. Maj. and Mrs. A. H. Wilson entertained in honor of their guest, Mrs. C. J. Brooks of Washington. Their guests included Maj. and Mrs. Ladd, Mrs. Ladd, sr., Maj. and Mmes. Holderness Hinemon, Slaughter, Kimball, and Miss Brooks.

Maj. and Mrs. T. B. Catron were hosts to Col. Holt, Maj. Mehaffey, Maj. and Mmes. Robins, Stearns and Bonesteel, Capt. and Mrs. Sasse, Cranston, and the guest of honor, Mrs. Catron's sister, Miss Knight of Rochester. Maj. and Mrs. J. P. Hogan had as guests Col. and Mrs. Carter, Maj. and Mrs. Anderson, Maj. Kerns, Maj. Doe, Maj. and Mrs. Lewis and their guest, Mrs. Baulding of Honolulu; Maj. and Mrs. Thompson; Capt. and Mrs. McGuire and their guest, Miss Sally Cray of Washington; Lt. Gerhardt, and the honor guest, Mrs. Hogan's sister, Miss Dempsey of Flushing, L.I.

Capt. and Mrs. W. P. Cherrington had as guests in honor of Mrs. Cherrington's sister, Mrs. A. N. Porter of Washington, Col. and Mrs. Stewart, Maj. Hodges, Maj. and Mmes. Griswold, Maj. and Mrs. Hines and Maj. and Mrs. Nichols.

Maj. and Mrs. Perkins and Capt. and Mrs. Woodward gave a progressive dinner. Their guests were Col. and Mrs. Timberlake, Maj. and Mmes. Card, McCain and Keyes, Maj. and Mmes. Neyland, Whitcomb and Hudnall, Lt. and Mrs. Vidal, Mrs. Cobb of Norfolk, Mrs. Harris of Brooklyn, and Miss Bessie Kelly of New York.

Capt. and Mrs. Paul Kane's guests on Friday were Capt. and Mrs. Scott, Miss Scott, Maj. Schwenck, Capt. and Mmes. Robb, Barrows and Small, Lt. McCarthy, and Mr. and Mrs. Kane of Highland Falls, N.Y. An early spring picnic supper was enjoyed by Maj. and Mmes. Bagby, Thompson and Hogan, Capt. and Mrs. Cherrington, Maj. Hodges and Lt. Willard on Saturday evening.

Capt. and Mrs. Cherrington entertained with bridge and mah jong on Thursday. Those playing were Maj. and Mrs. Walker, Maj. and Mrs. Bagby, Mrs. Porter and Maj. Doe. Capt. and Mrs. E. C. McGuire are week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McGuire of New York city.

Col. and Mrs. Sheldon Anding of Fort Wadsworth were visitors in the post on Sunday. Miss Henrietta Hall is the house guest of Maj. and Mrs. R. S. Donaldson.

Capt. and Mrs. Bradley had as guests in honor of Mrs. Wayne Stewart of Portland, Ore., Maj. and Mrs. Miller, Maj. and Mrs. Du Bois, Capt. Irving and Mrs. Quayle. Capt. and Mrs. Bradley also had as dinner guests on Wednesday Maj. and Mrs. Kemble and Maj. Kerns.

Brig. Gen. Amos Fries, Chief of Chemical Warfare, who gave a most interesting lecture to the chemical department on Tuesday, was the guest of Col. and Mrs. W. Robinson. Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Sladen had as guests during the week Lt. and Mrs. Sladen Bradley, recently returned from four years' service in China; Dr. Herrick, Mrs. Lefferts, and Mrs. Dwight Jones of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtenay Brandreth of Ossining, N.Y., Mr. Louis Agassiz Fuentes and Mr. Justus Von Lengerke were week-end guests of Col. and Mrs. Robinson. On Tuesday Col. and Mrs. Robinson were dinner hosts to Maj. and Mmes. Gandy, Chilton and Devers, and on Friday to their house guests and Capt. and Mrs. Hobbs.

Maj. Schwenck has organized a most successful and enthusiastic riding class among the ladies of the post.

## CANAL ZONE

COROZAL, C.Z., APRIL 1.

Capt. and Mrs. Rodman entertained at dinner March 16, honoring Miss Edwina Morrow of Kentucky. Capt. and Mrs. Eckels were hosts at a bridge dinner March 15. Maj. and Mrs. Pritchett celebrated St. Patrick's day with a dinner for Maj. and Mrs. Franklin, Capt. and Mrs. Shaw, Lt. and Mrs. Hewitt.

Col. and Mrs. Walker were hosts at dinner March 17 for Col. and Mmes. Collins, Dwyer, Ennis, Capt. and Mrs. Lovell, Miss Ruth Huger, Dr. Goldthwaite, Maj. and Mrs. Gardner entertained with a St. Patrick's day dinner, as did Col. and Mrs. Johnson.

Gen. and Mrs. Sturgis entertained on March 17 in honor of their house guests, Capt. and Mrs. O'Hare of Fort Randolph. Misses Eugenie and Margarita Harris were the hostesses at dinner preceding the Army Relief benefit dance at Quarry Heights. Mrs. Totten entertained with a bridge luncheon March 19.

Mrs. Sayles, wife of Capt. Sayles, U.S.N., is the house guest of Mrs. Irwin. On March 18 Mrs. Sayles was hostess at a bridge luncheon. Mrs. Heavey also gave a bridge luncheon on the 18th.

Col. and Mrs. Peace and Miss Mary Peace entertained with a buffet supper in honor of the birthday anniversary of Lt. Dusenbury on March 20. Mrs. Bullock, Corozal, was hostess at a bridge tea March 19. Miss Evelyn Rigby entertained with a before-the-hop supper at Quarry Heights March 21.

Capt. and Mrs. Townsend were hosts at a farewell bridge supper in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Kenworthy March 22. Besides the guests of honor, others dining with the Townsends were Gen. and Mrs. Callan, Mrs. Rogan, Col. Geary, Maj. and Mmes. Van Valkenburg and Smith, Capt. and Mmes. McCroskey, Conable, Lt. and Mrs. Kilbourne. Capt. and Mrs. Riley and Lt. and Mrs. Barnes were hosts on a picnic party to Flamenco Island on March 21.

Capt. Irwin, U.S.N., and Mrs. Irwin entertained at dinner March 21 for the British Minister and Mrs. Wallis, the French Charge d'Affaires and Madame Neuville, Comdr. and Mrs. Mayo, Col. and Mmes. Harris, Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. Boyd, Capt. and Mrs. Schofield gave a dinner preceding the Army Relief carnival at Fort Amador on March 20. Col. and Mrs. Beckham were hosts at dinner March 22 in honor of Miss Huger of Mobile, Ala. Capt. and Mrs. Jeffers entertained with a Sunday supper on March 23.

Fort Clayton gave a dance at the Century Club March 22 for the benefit of the Army Relief. Preceding the hop Maj. and Mrs. Whitten entertained at dinner. Lt. and Mrs. Bush also were dinner hosts.

The British Minister and Mrs. Wallis were hosts at dinner at the Tivoli Hotel March 23 for Gen. and Mrs. Sturgis, Gen. Lassiter, Col. and Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Cole, Hon. H. A. Ford and Mr. W. J. C. Simpson. Mrs. Irwin entertained with a bridge luncheon March 24 for Mmes. Davis, Rodman, Eckels, Rigby, Martin, Keene, Brooke, McGinnis, Sayles, Brown, Seymour. Mrs. Sturgis was hostess at a bridge luncheon March 26 in honor of Mrs. Basil Manly, mother of Comdr. Manly. Miss Laura Marshall, daughter of Gen. Marshall, and Miss Fleming of Fort Wayne are house guests of Col. and Mrs. Totten of Quarry Heights.

Capt. Nelson of the Cincinnati was host at luncheon March 25, at dinner the same evening, and again on March 26, after a sail to Taboga, Capt. Nelson entertained at dinner.

Capt. and Mrs. Irwin were hosts at dinner March 23 in honor of Capt. Nelson. Lt. and Mrs. Ashbrook entertained at dinner March 22. Col. and Mrs. Geary honored Capt. and Mrs. Kenworthy with a farewell dinner March 27. Mr. John Geary, son of Col. and Mrs. Geary, is the guest of his parents at Fort Amador.

Mrs. Rogan, sister of Mrs. Callan, returned to her home in Tennessee after a month's visit with Gen. and Mrs. Callan. Gen. Lassiter was host at a mah jong dinner March 26 for Gen. and Mrs. Sturgis, Capt. and Mrs. Hinds, Comdr. and Mrs. Manly, Col. and Mrs. Tracy, Mrs. Sayles. Mrs. Pyles was hostess at a bridge luncheon March 27 for six tables.

Comdr. and Mrs. Ryden honored Mrs. Keene of Washington, house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour, with a dinner March 27.

Maj. and Mrs. Van Valkenburg entertained March 27 with a birthday party for their daughter Jeannette, whose thirty-three guests included all the children of Fort Amador.

Lt. and Mrs. Kilbourne honored Capt. and

Mrs. Kenworthy with a farewell bridge party March 27. Col. and Mrs. Fairchild were hosts at a dinner March 28. Miss Louise Ladue also entertained with a dinner, as did Lt. and Mrs. Boatner. Col. and Mrs. Ladue and Maj. and Mrs. Butler received at the hop.

Capt. Hinds, U.S.N., and Mrs. Hinds were hosts at dinner in honor of their house guests, Mmes. Robertson and Sloane of Syracuse, N.Y.

## FORT SNELLING

MINNESOTA, APRIL 5.

Mrs. Arcadi Gluckman entertained Friday at a bridge luncheon of three tables. Maj. and Mrs. Max R. Wainer entertained Monday at dinner for Capt. and Mrs. M. A. Farlow and Capt. and Mrs. W. D. Brown, who left the post Tuesday, the Farlows for Honolulu and the Browns for Denver.

Col. and Mrs. Craig Snyder entertained Sunday evening in compliment to Capt. and Mrs. Farlow. Maj. and Mrs. Max R. Wainer entertained Thursday at dinner for Maj. Gen. G. B. Duncan from Omaha.

Capt. and Mrs. David R. Kerr entertained Friday evening at mah jong. Lt. and Mrs. J. G. Cooper entertained Saturday at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. D. Alton Hayward of Minneapolis.

Mrs. F. O. Schmidt entertained Tuesday for the bridge club. Lt. and Mrs. William R. Hazelrigg entertained Friday evening at a dancing party in honor of their daughter Aileen's seventeenth birthday anniversary.

## JEFFERSON BARRACKS

MISSOURI, APRIL 18.

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Moore, jr., gave a bridge party April 1, honoring Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Keeler. All the kiddies on the post enjoyed a surprise party given by Mrs. Joe Hickey on April 1 for her young son, Joe, jr. On April 3 Mrs. John Murphy was hostess of the post bridge club, after which everyone adjourned to the home of Mrs. Don Carroll for tea in honor of Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Keeler of California.

A bridge party was given April 5 by Capt. and Mrs. Hildebrand. Mrs. Robert C. Cousley entertained with a bridge tea April 7, honoring Mrs. Turner of Atlanta, house guest of Capt. and Mrs. Thomas C. Beck.

Capt. and Mrs. Lawrence Anderson gave a bridge party April 10. Mrs. Boyd Smith on April 11 entertained with a sewing party in honor of her mother, Mrs. Patton of Albany, Mo. Mrs. Halsey Yates entertained the Tuesday Luncheon Club.

Capt. and Mrs. R. A. Byers entertained at a dinner in honor of Maj. George W. Maddox, who left for Fort Jay. Mrs. Lawrence K. Anderson is visiting home folks in Indiana. Mrs. James Casey is spending some time in California. Maj. and Mrs. Raymond C. Baird have had as their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Earl S. Baird and small daughter of Jefferson City, Mo.

Capt. and Mrs. R. A. D. Stanis have as their guest Mr. William Wrenn of Knoxville, Tenn. Capt. and Mrs. Henry M. Van Hook have as their house guest Mrs. Scroggins of Portsmouth, Iowa, mother of Mrs. Van Hook.

Lt. and Mrs. R. J. Whatley, who have just returned from the Philippines, are occupying quarters in the woods. Lt. Samuel W. Stephens has had as his guest young Master Eugene Carey of Chicago.

Mrs. Yates of Lincoln, Neb., mother of Col. Halsey W. Yates, left for her home after a few days spent on the post. Mrs. Yates is on her way home from California.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. George W. England and three sons are settled in quarters. Col. and Mrs. Clarence J. Manley entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baer of St. Louis, recently returned from a winter spent in California.

## CHANUTE FIELD

RANTOUL, ILL., APRIL 12.

Lt. John H. Pitzer was a guest of Lt. and Mrs. Gerald E. Grimes while en route to West Point on a mission for the Air Service. Lt. Pitzer is a last year's classman. Mrs. Wallace Smith and Mrs. James Harmon entertained with four tables of mah jong on Thursday at the Urbana-Lincoln Hotel.

Mrs. Casey Hayes entertained with six tables of mah jong at the Officers' Club last week. Capt. and Mrs. A. C. Jensen entertained last Saturday with a hop.

Mrs. L. P. Hickey entertained the ladies of the Communications School, of which Capt. Hickey is the head, last Monday with a mah jong tea. Mrs. Hickey was assisted by Mrs. G. E. Grimes.

Mrs. Cadmus Baker was hostess at a mah jong party on Tuesday, honoring Mmes. Welsh and Oscar Hansen, wives of the newly assigned dentist and medical officer, respectively.

Word has been received from Mrs. F. L. Martin that she will be located at 515 Pennsylvania avenue, Apt. 5, San Diego, California, while Maj. Martin is making the flight around the world.

## NAVAL ACADEMY

ANNAPOLIS, MD., APRIL 30.

Rear Adm. Henry B. Wilson, Superintendent of the Naval Academy, and Mrs. Wilson on April 28 were hosts at a large reception in honor of the Board of Visitors. Officers, civilian instructors and their wives, the midshipmen officers and regimental and battalion staff petty officers attended this reception.

Among the younger set of Annapolis and the Naval Academy the past week-end was exceedingly gay. The midshipmen's Easter hop was held at Dahlgren Hall on April 26, a large crowd of girls coming from Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, and more distant cities for the occasion.

Lt. Mays L. Lewis, U.S.N., has returned from Gloucester County, Va., where he and Mrs. Lewis spent the Easter vacation with Mrs. Lewis's mother.

Comdr. and Mrs. William L. Friedell gave a delightful supper dance at Carvel Hall on April 24.

Mrs. Burrage, wife of Rear Adm. G. H. Burrage, her daughter, Miss Charlotte Meade Burrage of Washington, and Mrs. Barton Myers, jr., of Norfolk, were week-end guests of Prof. and Mrs. Carroll S. Alden of Wardour.

## HAWAIIAN NOTES

SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, H.T., APRIL 5.

Capt. and Mrs. Iverson B. Summers were honor guests on March 23 at a dinner given by Capt. and Mrs. H. L. Barrett to bid aloha to Capt. and Mrs. Summers, who sail for the mainland on the Grant. Mrs. C. B. Spruit entertained twenty-five at bridge and tea on March 25.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Charles T. Mencher entertained twelve at dinner on March 28. Capt. and Mrs. William D. Mueller and Capt. and Mrs. Ned Blair, who sail on the Grant Saturday, were honor guests at a hop supper on March 28, given by Capt. and Mrs. Roy H. Evans and Lt. and Mrs. Hammond M. Monroe. Capt. and Mrs. R. G. Lehman had as dinner guests on March 28 Capt. and Mmes. J. E. Brannon, Harold Head, G. Van W. Pope, Lt. and Mrs. H. M. Monroe.

Capt. and Mrs. A. F. King and Lt. and Mrs. C. P. Prime were hosts at a dance given at their Peal City homes on March 22, when they entertained 160 friends. Maj. and Mrs. R. V. Venable had as dinner guests on March 25 Capt. and Mrs. N. P. Groff, Mrs. S. C. Ellis, Lucy F. Baldwin, Capt. G. P. Baldwin and Jack Baldwin.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Thomas W. Brown were hosts at dinner on Wednesday, inviting as their guests Brig. Gen. and Mrs. R. P. Davis, Capt. and Mmes. A. F. Balsam, N. P. Groff, Lt. and Mrs. T. H. Ramsey, Mrs. Lucy F. Baldwin and Capt. G. F. Baldwin. Capt. and Mrs. E. J. Tulley left on the Grant for a two months' leave on the mainland.

Capt. and Mrs. Harold Head entertained thirty-six with a bridge and mah jong party on March 26. Mrs. Boyce M. James was hostess on March 26 at a large bridge tea. Lt. and Mrs. M. K. Kurtz entertained with a bridge supper March 29.

Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Campbell were bridge hosts Monday evening. Mrs. Andrew Moses was hostess Thursday at a bridge luncheon. Lt. Col. and Mrs. L. S. Ryan had as dinner guests on March 28 Maj. and Mmes. Ralph Hospital, H. T. Burgin, James Kirk, W. D. White, Maj. R. E. M. Goolrick and J. E. McMahon.

Mrs. Richmond P. Davis was a bridge tea hostess on April 3. Capt. and Mrs. Paul V. Kellogg entertained April 2 with a bridge supper. Maj. and Mrs. Clyde R. Abraham had as dinner guests on April 2 Col. and Mmes. Irving J. Carr and Stephen O. Fuqua.

Mrs. Clyde R. Abraham, who is sailing on the April transport, was honor guest at a dinner April 3, given by Capt. and Mrs. H. Lester Barrett. Mrs. Howard McC. Yost entertained on Thursday with a tea. Lt. and Mrs. Harry L. Coates were hosts on April 2 at a bridge supper. Lt. and Mrs. Raymond Morrison were week-end guests of Col. and Mrs. Howard R. Perry.

Mrs. Ralph C. Benner entertained with six tables of bridge on April 3. Capt. and Mrs. Adam Richmond were hosts at bridge on April 5. Maj. and Mrs. Sam I. McCants were honor guests on April 4 at a hop supper given by Lt. and Mrs. Charles W. Christenberry, the guests including Lt. Col. and Mrs. Wallace McNamara, Maj. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Delamater, Maj. Paul Newgarden, Capt. and Mmes. John G. Cook, J. Huntington Hills, Mrs. Helen Tompkins, Miss Izora Tompkins and Lt. Raynor Garey.

Lt. and Mrs. S. T. Wallis had as dinner guest on April 3 Capt. and Mrs. Owen Marshall. Lt. and Mmes. Parke Young, Edward H. Metzger, J. G. Brackenridge, Donald Hayselden, Misses Ruth Gartley and Louise Girvin, Mrs. Thomas S. Sinkler were hostess at bridge on April 2.

Lt. and Mrs. Frank E. Sharpless entertained at dinner on April 5, honoring Miss Helen Ryder, the guests including Capt. and Mrs. Herbert F. Teate, Lt. and Mmes. Ralph F. Tate, Younger H. Pitts, John H. Beque, Misses Helen and Marian Hockman, Mrs. J. D. Beque, Lt. Edgar B. Heylman, Philip Doddridge and John R. Guiteras.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. C. W. Weeks entertained at dinner on March 26, their guests including Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Charles P. Summerrall, Col. and Mrs. Otho W. B. Farr, Lt. Col. and Mrs. W. W. K. Hamilton, Maj. and Mrs. Hartley Parkhurst.



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PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF., APRIL 5.

Mrs. Harry F. Rethers and Mrs. J. M. Lee, her mother, entertained at the Presidio March 28 at bridge. Miss Hazel Nelson, daughter of Col. and Mrs. H. B. Nelson, entertained a group of service girls at a bridge tea on April 1.

Capt. and Mrs. Michael F. Davis entertained recently at a bridge supper for Capt. and Mrs. Thomas J. Hanley, jr., and officers of the Air Service and their wives.

Shortly before the departure for their new station Col. and Mrs. George H. Cassaday were complimented guests at a bridge dinner at the Whitcomb Hotel, given by Maj. and Mrs. John W. Seovel, Maj. John Schock, and his sister, Miss Helen Schock.

Lt. and Mrs. Joseph E. Smith were hosts to the officers and ladies at Fort Baker at an evening of bridge recently. Col. and Mrs. Harry F. Rethers were hosts at a dinner party at the Presidio on April 2.

The ladies' regimental bridge club of the 30th Infantry gathered at the quarters of Capt. George B. Westcott April 2. Mrs. George B. Westcott and Mrs. George S. Beatty were the hostesses.

The officers and ladies of Fort McDowell passed an enjoyable evening recently when Capt. and Mrs. James L. Craig were hosts to the commissioned personnel at bridge, following two large dinner parties given by Capt. and Mrs. Forest V. Bockey and Maj. and Mrs. Charles E. Freeman.

Little Miss Cora Polly Kinnard delightfully entertained a number of her friends recently in celebration of her fifth birthday. The quarters of Capt. and Mrs. Kinnard were converted into a fairland for the youngsters, each of whom was presented with appropriate gifts as favors. Delicious refreshments were served. Those invited were Virginia Morrison, Grace Limbocker, Virginia Scott, Irene France, May Louise Pierce, Betty Kneass, Alice Laubach, Phoebe Jane Bowen, Peggy Tatum, Mary Jane Stafford, Harriet Hicklin, Florence Kinnard, Masters Thomas Gillis, Albert Bowen, John Eckert, Jim Caldwell, James H. Laubach, Jack Stafford, Charles B. Hazeltine, Bill Gustitus, Waldo Potter, Howell Hanson, Tom Chandler, Jack Jervey and John O. Hoskins.

PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF., APRIL 24.

Mrs. Charles G. Morton was at home April 23, when young people were specially invited. Gen. and Mrs. Morton usually spend the weekend at their country home near Los Gatos. Mrs. Morton has begun taking to Los Gatos one day in each week children or others who may be benefited by country air and surroundings.

Several hundred officers and ladies danced at the Presidio Officers' Club on April 4. The dance was ushered in with a round of dinner parties, including one by Col. and Mrs. Charles S. Lincoln.

Col. and Mrs. John L. Shepard gave a dinner party at the Presidio on April 4, complimenting their daughters, Mrs. C. Q. Wright and Mrs. J. C. Rockwell, who are visitors at the post. Lt. and Mrs. Harry B. Sepulveda entertained on April 4 with a dinner, complimenting Miss Marjorie Bidwell.

Mrs. George S. Beatty and Mrs. George B. Westcott were bridge hostesses to the ladies of the 30th Infantry at the quarters of Capt. Westcott recently. Prior to an evening of cards at the Officers' Club at Fort McDowell recently a group of the officers and ladies of the post were guests of Maj. and Mrs. Charles E. Freeman at dinner.

Capt. and Mrs. Forest V. Bockey entertained at dinner recently at Fort McDowell. The officers and ladies of the Coast Defenses of San Francisco gave a dance at the Officers' Club at Fort Scott on April 11. Several hundred guests from the neighboring posts attended. The ladies of Fort Scott gave an informal bridge and tea at the Officers' Club on April 11.

The officers and ladies at Fort McDowell enjoyed a large bridge party at the Officers' Club recently, with Capt. and Mrs. James L. Craig as hosts. Mrs. Edgar A. Sirmeyer was hostess to the ladies of the Presidio at bridge at the Presidio Officers' Club on April 3. Thirty or forty tables played.

Col. and Mrs. L. P. Williamson were hosts to their friends at Fort Scott April 15, complimenting Capt. and Mrs. Barrington L. Flanagan. Capt. and Mrs. Manly B. Gibson entertained at bridge at Fort Baker on April 17.

The Women's Regimental Bridge Club of the 30th Infantry were guests on April 6 of Mrs. Harold D. Coburn and Mrs. William A. Covington at the Presidio quarters of Col. and Mrs. Coburn. There were eight tables.

At a tea given by Mrs. Caesar R. Roberts at the Hotel St. Francis on the afternoon of April 14 a group of the Army set gathered in a farewell party to Mrs. Baird, the wife of Maj. Clair W. Baird of Fort Winfield Scott. Maj. and Mrs. Baird are sailing for the East on April 24, where Maj. Baird has been ordered for duty.

A very attractive program was arranged for the Presidio Women's Club on April 17 by Mrs. George Bush. Mary Carr Moore rendered a number of her own compositions, with Miss Phyllis Meyer as accompanist. Miss Reba Cameron, who was sent from Letterman General Hospital to Japan with the relief expedi-

tion, gave an account of her experiences in the recent Japanese catastrophe.

Col. and Mrs. James Canby gave a dinner party on April 12 at the Presidio for Col. and Mrs. Charles S. Lincoln, William A. Covington and William E. Gilmore, and Capt. and Mrs. William A. McNicholl.

Mrs. Webb, wife of Chaplain James M. Webb of Fort McDowell, was hostess recently at the Fort McDowell Officers' Club to the officers and ladies of the post at an evening of bridge. Mrs. Burr P. Irwin entertained a number of friends at luncheon at the Presidio recently.

Maj. and Mrs. Harry L. Jordan have returned from Los Angeles and have as their guests at the Presidio Col. Herman Glade and Maj. Walton Goodwin, jr., of Washington, who are here inspecting R.O.T.C. units.

**SCOTT FIELD**

ILLINOIS, APRIL 10.

Lt. and Mrs. Ashley McKinley are entertaining Miss Virginia Chadbourne of San Francisco, in whose honor a number of social affairs are being arranged. Capt. and Mrs. Warner B. Gates have as their house guest Mrs. Gates's mother, Mrs. O. H. Kroh of Cleveland.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles M. Savage entertained sixteen guests at a dinner and dance at the Missouri Athletic Club, St. Louis, on Saturday in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Henry C. White, who have been ordered to Chanute Field.

Lt. and Mrs. Frank Kehoe and son are in San Antonio, where Lt. Kehoe will have charge of the gas for the preliminary national free balloon race. Mrs. Kehoe and son will visit friends in Texas.

Lt. and Mrs. William Turnbull entertained Misses Martha and Annabelle Hoppe, Lt. James Neely, Lt. Harold Rivers, Lts. and Mmes. Benjamin B. Cassidy and Ashley M. McKinley at dinner and cards Thursday. Mrs. Fred E. Davis, wife of Lt. Fred E. Davis, entertained two tables at bridge on Thursday.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. John A. Paegelow have had as their guest Mrs. Paegelow's mother, Mrs. L. F. Wood of California, Mo. Mrs. Benjamin Cassidy, wife of Lt. B. B. Cassidy, entertained at a bridge and mah jong luncheon on Tuesday.

Lt. Lawrence Lawson and Dr. C. Leroy Meisinger returned on Saturday from Charleston, S.C., where they landed on a free balloon flight, having taken off from Scott Field on Tuesday evening. Dr. Meisinger is here in interest of the weather bureau from Washington, D.C.

Maj. and Mrs. John F. Duckworth entertained twelve at bridge on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Florence Koehler of Prescott, Arizona, who is a guest of Lt. and Mrs. Angier H. Foster.

SCOTT FIELD, ILL., APRIL 18.

Lt. and Mrs. Joseph P. Bailey of Scott Field have as their house guest Mrs. Powell, wife of Lt. James Powell, Air Ser., who is now at Brooks Field, Texas. Capt. and Mrs. Charles M. Savage, Lt. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Lawson and Lt. Douglas Johnston were guests of Lt. and Mrs. Benjamin B. Cassidy on April 14 to dinner and bridge in honor of Mrs. Margaret Manzeleman, whose husband, Lt. Earl H. Manzeleman, A.S., was killed at Luke Field, H.T., two years ago. Mrs. Manzeleman is making St. Louis her home.

Col. Burros and aid, from Colombia, South America, were guests of Lt. Col. John A. Paegelow at Scott Field on April 14. Lt. Col. John A. Paegelow entertained his uncle, Mr. John E. Bishop of St. Louis, and a delegation of officers from Mexico at Scott Field on April 17.

Mrs. Sylvan Davis of San Francisco arrived at Scott Field on April 18 to visit Lt. and Mrs. B. B. Cassidy for two weeks. Lt. and Mrs. William Turnbull entertained Lt. Col. Paegelow and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mace at dinner on April 17.

**FORT PORTER**

NEW YORK, APRIL 18.

Maj. Gen. C. S. Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry, inspected the 1st Battalion of the 28th Infantry, commanded by Maj. Pedro A. Hernandez, on April 16. Following the inspection Gen. Farnsworth was guest of honor at a reception and tea given at the quarters of Maj. and Mrs. Hernandez, his hosts during his short stay on the post. Those serving were Mmes. Metcalf, Hazlehurst and Leeper.

Maj. and Mrs. P. A. Hernandez entertained the evening bridge club on April 10. Lt. and Mrs. Dorra Hazlehurst entertained at a dinner and bridge April 12 for Maj. and Mrs. Wetmore, Miss Wetmore, Capt. McMahon, Capt. and Mrs. Metcalf. Mrs. Wetmore entertained Lt. and Mrs. Leeper at dinner April 14.

Mrs. James Metcalf entertained the ladies' bridge club April 15. Lt. and Mrs. Simon Jacobson have as their guest Mrs. Jacobson's sister, Mrs. Stabins of Watertown, N.Y.

Mr. Harry Noll, a student at the University of Michigan, is spending his Easter vacation as the guest of Lt. and Mrs. Leeper. Capt. Strong is back from a motor trip to Philadelphia, where he attended the reunion and dinner of the 316th Infantry. Capt. Strong served with the 316th overseas.

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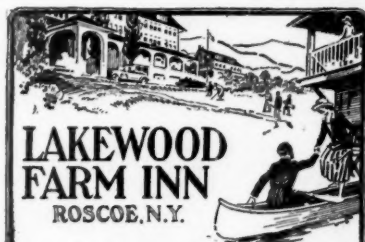
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## NORFOLK NAVY YARD

VIRGINIA, APRIL 15.

Mrs. G. C. Dichman and two daughters, who have been guests of Mrs. W. F. B. Slaughter, Stoneleigh Court, for several weeks, leave early this week for San Diego, to join Lt. Comdr. Dichman, recently ordered there. Madame Camperio, of Milan, Italy, formerly Miss Eleanor Terry of Annapolis, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Tilton, Graydon avenue.

Mrs. Wilbert Smith entertained Friday at a bridge tea at the Naval Base in honor of her sister, Mrs. N. O. Sampson of New York, who is her guest.

Capt. and Mrs. Wilbert Smith entertained their bridge club Tuesday evening. Mrs. Edwin G. Kintner and daughter, Miss Susan Kintner of Philadelphia, arrived last week to be guests of Mrs. Kintner's mother, Mrs. Susan Grice, Virginia Beach. Lt. and Mrs. R. R. Yates left last Thursday for Schenectady, N.Y., in response to a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Yates's father, Rev. B. W. R. Taylor, rector of St. George's Episcopal Church.

Mrs. C. F. M. Spotswood Quinby has arrived to be the guest of Capt. and Mrs. John G. Quinby, where she will be joined this week by Lt. Quinby, who has been assigned to temporary duty at Annapolis in connection with the Olympic games. Mrs. C. B. Arney, wife of Lt. Arney, has left for a visit to relatives in Washington and Philadelphia.

Lt. and Mrs. W. B. Lobaugh have arrived after a six weeks' stay in New York, Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis, and after ten days Lt. Lobaugh will join the U.S.S. Kittery on a West Indies cruise. They will make their home in Norfolk for the next three years. Mrs. Frederick A. Johnson and children left Friday to join Lt. Johnson at Pensacola.

Mrs. H. G. Bowerfind will leave to-day to spend some time in New York. Mr. Henry Worthington of Philadelphia has arrived to attend the marriage of his daughter, Miss Margaret Worthington, and Ens. Malcolm M. Gossett. Mrs. Frederick Elder and little son, who have recently returned from the West coast, are guests of Mrs. Elder's mother, Mrs. James Tait, Virginia Beach, and will leave in the near future to join Lt. Comdr. Elder at Annapolis.

The captain and officers of the U.S.S. Texas entertained Saturday at an informal tea dance for officers and their wives on this station and a number of the younger set of Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Mrs. Philip LeRoy Haynes, who has been visiting in Craigsville, Va., has returned to her home, Boiesvain Apt. Comdr. and Mrs. Fairfax Leary and little son have arrived from Annapolis and are spending some time at Mrs. F. H. Whitehurst's. Comdr. Leary is attached to the U.S.S. New York, now at the yard. Mrs. William N. Hughes entertained recently at a four-table bridge party. Lt. and Mrs. N. S. Betts entertained recently at a bridge party for Capt. and Mrs. J. A. McDonald, Lt. and Mrs. F. N. Pugsley, Miss Louise Callender and Lt. J. A. Turrentine.

Mrs. Robert Wittman of Texas has been a recent guest of Col. and Mrs. Randolph C. Berkeley, Marine Barracks. Mrs. J. A. McDonald entertained Friday afternoon at her home, navy yard, at a bridge party for Mrs. Lewis M. Nuttman of Texas.

The weekly dinner given at the Navy Yard Officers' Club Thursday was largely attended. Mrs. Adrian D. Alfred was hostess.

Capt. and Mrs. L. F. Pape entertained Tuesday evening of last week at a dance at the Army Supply Base. Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. R. P. P. Maclewski entertained at a birthday party for their little daughter, Dallas Lee, at the Naval Base Saturday. The little guests numbered twenty-five.

Recent arrivals at Hotel Heart O'Ghent include Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Scott D. McCaughey, Capt. and Mrs. Frederick Israel, Lt. and Mrs. J. S. MacKennon, M. V. Yandle and H. H. McLean. The officers are attached to the U.S.S. New York and Texas.

Mrs. Charles Pickett and little son of Fairfax, Va., are guests of Mrs. Pickett's mother, Mrs. Beverly Cobb, Portsmouth.

## AMERICAN FORCES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN, MARCH 24.

Col. and Mrs. Albert B. Sloan gave a dinner followed by bridge and mah jong on March 13. Capt. and Mrs. Paul Steele entertained Col. and Mrs. Barnes, Maj. and Mrs. Gullion and Capt. and Mrs. Tuttle at the tea dance at the Astor House Hotel on March 9.

Lt. and Mrs. Donald Brann's guests for dinner and mah jong on March 12 were Maj. and Mrs. Cline and Gullion, Miss Cline and Lt. Snodgrass. Lt. James Notestein, who recently completed a three-year tour in the islands, has been the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Harvey for a few days. After a fortnight in Peking he will sail on the Thomas from Chinwangtao on March 31.

Maj. and Mrs. Walter Gullion entertained at dinner on March 14 for Lt. and Mrs. Gollightly and Lystad, Miss Cline and Lt. Snodgrass. Capt. and Mrs. Steele entertained at dinner on March 14 for Gen. and Mrs. W. D. Connor, Maj. and Mrs. Cline, Capt. Gerhardt and Dessez. Maj. and Mrs. McCuniff entertained at dinner on March 15 for Maj. and Mrs. Gullion and Capt. and Mrs. Tuttle and Steele.

The bachelor officers of No. 18 entertained at dinner and mah jong on March 11 for Maj. and Mrs. Cline, Capt. and Mrs. McChrystal and Jones, and Miss Cline. Lt. and Mrs. Stewart entertained at dinner and mah jong on March 11. Capt. and Mrs. John C. Newton entertained March 11 at dinner and mah jong.

A mah jong party was given by Mrs. Camp-

bell King on March 17 for sixteen guests. Mrs. King again entertained at mah jong on March 18. Capt. and Mrs. A. J. McChrystal were hosts March 17 at a buffet supper in commemoration of their sixth wedding anniversary. Lt. and Mrs. Donald Brann entertained at dinner and mah jong on March 17 for Col. and Mrs. King, Maj. and Mrs. McCuniff, Capt. and Mrs. Cushman and Cronkite.

Brig. Gen. W. D. Connor presided at the annual dinner dance of the American Association at the Astor House on March 21.

Lt. Col. James R. Pourie, who has been quite ill with influenza, has been granted sick leave for two months. With Mrs. Pourie, he will visit points of interest in North and South China. Lt. Col. and Mrs. Albert B. Sloan will leave for the States on the March 31 transport from Chinwangtao, due to the condition of Mrs. Sloan's health.

Capt. and Mrs. Dabney entertained at dinner and mah jong March 18 for Col. and Mrs. King, Maj. and Mrs. Cline and Capt. and Mrs. Tuttle. Lt. and Mrs. Lehr and Gallagher gave a tea for the cast of "Goofus Feathers" on March 16 in celebration of the performance in Peking, which was enthusiastically received.

Col. and Mrs. Campbell King entertained at dinner on March 22 for Gen. and Mrs. Connor and Mrs. Van Vleet, the acting Consul Gen. and Mrs. J. C. Huston, the Commissioner of Native Customs and Madame Guernier and Capt. John D. Miley. Lt. and Mrs. Stuart's guests for dinner on March 20 were Maj. and Mrs. Cline and Gullion, Capt. and Mrs. Dabney and Lt. and Mrs. Boyles.

## SAN DIEGO and NEARBY BASES

CALIFORNIA, APRIL 17.

Mrs. James McE. Huey, wife of Lt. Col. Huey, U.S.M.C., is spending a few days in Los Angeles prior to departure of the family for San Francisco, Col. Huey's new station. Maj. and Mrs. H. H. Arnold were hosts at a buffet supper and bridge party at Rockwell Field Monday in honor of Capt. and Mrs. W. M. Randolph, who sail this week for Panama for Capt. Randolph's new station.

Capt. and Mrs. R. G. Ervin entertained Saturday with a dinner party at Rockwell Field in honor of Brig. Gen. H. D. Todd, Jr., and Mrs. Todd. After dinner the hosts and their guests attended the polo dance at Hotel del Coronado.

Bridge teas were given in Coronado by Mrs. E. R. Morrissey on Thursday, and Mrs. H. R. Bogusch on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. T. Mallison, wife of Comdr. Mallison, has returned from Nashville, Tenn., where she spent the winter, and is again at her home in Coronado. Capt. T. J. Molinari, U.S.A., retired, has been elected secretary of the San Diego County Federation of State Societies. He is president of the New Mexico State Society here.

Capt. and Mrs. LeRoy N. Taylor entertained with a dinner party at Hotel del Coronado Monday in honor of Comdr. and Mrs. Wallace L. Lind. Covers were laid for eight. Rear Adm. and Mrs. Sumner E. W. Kittelle and their two young daughters left Tuesday for New Orleans, to which station Adm. Kittelle has been transferred for duty. Miss Mary Kittelle, another daughter, is remaining in Coronado for a time as guest of her sister, Mrs. C. J. Moore, wife of Lt. Comdr. Moore. A son of Adm. and Mrs. Kittelle, Sumner, is still confined to a hospital in Coronado, recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

## FIELD ARTILLERY SCHOOL

FORT SILL, OKLA., APRIL 28.

There were many dinner parties before the dance on Saturday. Maj. and Mrs. P. L. Thurber entertained at the club, celebrating Mrs. Thurber's birthday anniversary. Present: Col. and Mrs. Herron, Maj. and Mrs. Guber, Paddock, Lamphier, Capt. and Mrs. Hibbs, Nash, Spence, Ballard, Ratay, Maj. and Mrs. Cain, Talbot, Col. Corey, Maj. and Mrs. Eager.

Covers were laid for fourteen at the dinner given Saturday at the Officers' Club by Capt. W. P. Blodsoe for Miss Merrie, who is visiting Capt. and Mrs. Busch.

Maj. N. Horowitz entertained Thursday at the club with dinner for Capt. and Mrs. Ballard, Lt. and Mrs. Donaldson and Gaston. Col. R. Smith was dinner host Saturday at the Officers' Club to Col. and Mrs. Whaley, Capt. and Mrs. Rhodes, Capt. and Mrs. Dasher and Capt. and Mrs. Adams.

Maj. and Mrs. I. T. Wyche gave a birthday anniversary party for their sister, Miss Betty Dunn, on Saturday. Mrs. F. G. Chaddock had nine tables of bridge at the Officers' Club on Tuesday, followed by a tea.

Mrs. A. M. Whaley entertained the Fort Sill Literary Club on Monday with a social evening. Mrs. D. F. Craig was chairman of the committee, and sketches of household articles were given by the individual members.

Maj. and Mrs. R. E. Lewis celebrated their thirteenth anniversary on Saturday with a hop supper. The guests were Col. and Mrs. Austin, Maj. and Mrs. Malony, Sharp, Downs, J. E. Lewis, Beukema, Boles, Starkey, Peyton, Burr, Capt. and Mrs. Allen, R. C. Moore, Lt. and Mrs. Gaston, Waters, Elwood, Lt. McCaughy, Hester and Crehan.

Mrs. W. F. Jones had two tables of bridge on Friday for her daughter, Mrs. Elwood. Mrs.

D. F. Craig gave a tea on Wednesday for Mrs. Morris, wife of the Episcopalian minister. There were about seventy-five guests. Mrs. O. Ward entertained with a tea on Wednesday.

Lt. Crehan entertained at dinner at the Officers' Club on Thursday for Capt. and Mrs. Allen, J. C. Adams, Lt. and Mrs. Mallonee, Maj. Lanavere, Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Adams entertained at bridge and supper on Sunday. Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Allen had a Sunday breakfast after a morning's gallop. Those present were Lt. and Mrs. Brenizer, Maj. Lanavere, Lt. Crehan, Clearwater and Graves.

## WASHINGTON BARRACKS

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, APRIL 19.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Stuart Heintzelman entertained twenty-five guests at their table at the dinner dance at the club of the Army War College. Gen. and Mrs. John L. Hines were the honor guests. Other guests were Gen. and Mrs. R. P. Davis, M. W. Ireland, A. C. Dalton, Col. and Mrs. L. D. Gasser, J. B. Allison, Col. S. H. Ford, Mrs. Malin Craig, Col. Duncan Major, Col. and Mrs. John W. Gulick, Lt. and Mrs. L. J. Maitland.

Col. Thomas A. Roberts, Mrs. Roberts and their daughter, Miss Loyal Roberts, have moved into quarters No. 3, recently vacated by Col. and Mrs. Ewing E. Booth.

Col. and Mrs. Samuel C. Vestal had as dinner guests at their quarters Mrs. Groesbeck and her sister, Miss Sarah Ide of Lansingburg, N.Y. Col. and Mrs. Joseph A. Baer are entertaining as their house guest Mrs. Edwin W. Shields of Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Yates Stirling, 3d, U.S.N.A., has been spending his Easttr liberty with his uncle and aunt, Col. and Mrs. Charles E. Kilbourne. Capt. Rohsenberger has been summoned to his home on account of illness in his family. Miss Emily Warring of New York, who has been a house guest of Col. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Simonds, has returned to her home.

Mrs. James Witherell, son of Maj. and Mrs. Witherell of Camp Holabird, Md., is spending the Easter holidays as a house guest of Mr. William Vestal at Col. and Mrs. S. C. Vestal's. Lt. Harry L. Calvin has returned to his station on this post after a visit to his home in Missouri.

## NOTES FROM THE PHILIPPINES

MANILA, P.I., MARCH 10.

Rear Adm. and Mrs. Marvell were much entertained before leaving their post at Cavite Navy Yard for their new station on the Pacific coast. Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Reed, U.S.A., gave a large dinner in their honor; also the commander-in-chief of the Asiatic Fleet, Adm. Washington, and Mrs. Washington. Mrs. Marvell was successful in selling many of the water color sketches she made of the islands before leaving.

Governor Gen. and Mrs. Leonard Wood gave a dinner recently in honor of their house guest, Sir Reginald Stubbs, British Governor of Hong Kong, and Lady Stubbs; also Ambassador and Mrs. Cyrus Woods of Tokio, who were returning from the States. Many Army and Navy guests were present, including Maj. and Mrs. Reddington, Comdrs. and Mrs. Abbot, Glassford, Beach and Lee.

A recent big dinner party was comprised of Comdr. and Mrs. Abbott, Comdr. and Mrs. Parker, Col. Langhorne, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Reed, Miss Margaret Reed, Gen. and Mrs. McCoy and Miss Sue McDonald.

## CAMP LEWIS

WASHINGTON, APRIL 23.

Col. George G. Gately, commanding the 10th Field Artillery, was host at a dinner at De Koven Inn, American Lake, on April 13. His guests included Maj. and Mrs. F. W. Honeycutt and Downer, Capt. and Mrs. W. C. Green, A. W. Shutter and W. E. Corkill. Lt. and Mrs. George Woolley and S. F. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Wulzen and Mrs. Clyde F. Rex.

Lt. and Mrs. A. L. Benedict, who left April 19 to sail for the Philippines, have been honored guests at several parties. Col. and Mrs. J. D. Leitch and Lt. Col. and Mrs. F. P. Holcomb entertained at the latter's quarters April 12. Earlier in the week Maj. and Mrs. Ward were hosts at a dinner for Lt. and Mrs. Benedict.

A pretty afternoon affair was that given by Mrs. E. N. Johnston complimenting Mrs. Benedict and her aunt, Mrs. Morrison, who will go to the Philippines with the Benedicts. Bridge and mah jong were played, several other guests going in for tea.

Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Corkill have returned from a four months' leave, spent in traveling around the world. Mrs. George S. Denderick has returned to camp after spending five months at her home in Montgomery, Ala. Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Shutter have as their house guest Mrs. Shutter's sister, Mrs. Clyde F. Rex of Sacramento.

To honor Capt. M. J. Marshall, who has just received promotion, a dinner was given April 23 at the quarters of Capt. and Mrs. Von Deeston. Mrs. J. B. La Guardia was hostess with Mrs. Von Deeston, and entertained officers of the 6th Engineers and their wives. Lt. and Mrs. Orville W. Martin have as their house guest Mrs. Rush Martin of Oshkosh, Wis.

## GOVERNORS ISLAND

NEW YORK, APRIL 30.

Maj. and Mrs. Alan Gullion have their daughter Ruth with them for the Easter holidays. They are also entertaining Misses Betty Lockwood and Atha Carter of Eaton Hall, Torrington, Pa. On April 21 they gave a tea-dance for fifty guests in compliment to Misses Carter and Lockwood.

Miss Adelaide Ames, who has been the guest of her parents, Col. and Mrs. Ames, for the Easter holidays, has returned to Cambridge, Mass., where she is doing research work in astronomy at Harvard University.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Davis gave a buffet supper before the Easter hop. Their guests included Maj. and Mrs. White, Capt. and Mrs. Bratton, Maj. McClure, Maj. and Mrs. Kramer. Miss Claudia Reed of Washington is the guest of Miss Conrad.

Col. and Mrs. Price entertained at dinner for Gen. Bullard, Maj. and Mrs. Holmes, Maj. Auer, Mrs. Auer, Col. Norman of New York city and Mr. Lee Bullard. Col. and Mrs. Gerhardt are entertaining Mrs. Oldham of Baltimore.

Col. and Mrs. Conrad spent Easter Sunday with their son, Dean Conrad, at West Point. Capt. and Mrs. Eccles have as their guest Capt. Dodson of Fort Niagara. Miss Jean Conrad entertained forty guests at a dinner before the Easter hop. Miss Cora Thayer gave a dinner for fifteen on April 25.

The Tuesday Bridge Club gave a bridge party for members and their guests on April 22. Mrs. Rose has returned from a visit to Washington. Lt. Col. and Mrs. Higgins are entertaining Mrs. Higgins's niece, Miss Gillespie of Brooklyn. Maj. and Mrs. Wara gave a dinner on April 25 for twenty-five guests. Capt. and Mrs. Le Gette entertained at dinner on April 25 for Col. and Mrs. Winterton of East Orange. Mrs. Navas, Miss Hurt, Mrs. Walter of Orlando, Fla., Capt. and Mrs. Berthoff, Lt. and Mrs. Ovenshine, Capt. Penrose.

Before the Easter hop on April 25 Col. and Mrs. Jackson gave a dinner for Gen. Weigel, Mrs. Phinney, Col. and Mrs. Stephenson, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Taylor, Maj. and Mrs. Eby, Holmes and Gullion, Lt. and Mrs. Viles, Capt. Stokes and Maj. Rhinelander.

Mrs. Julius Conrad left for Washington April 28 for a brief visit. Mrs. Kiefer was the guest of Miss Gilmer for luncheon and golf at the Westchester-Biltmore Club at Rye, N.Y., on April 21.

Maj. and Mrs. Bailey entertained at dinner April 25 for the following: Col. and Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Crystal, Miss Jane Dixon, Maj. and Mrs. Hensley, Capt. Wells, Mr. McDonald and Lt. Karlson. Col. and Mrs. Haskell gave a dinner before the Easter hop for six. Miss Frances Waggoner of Washington, D.C., has been the guest of Miss Mary Haskell. Maj. and Mrs. Harry Chamberlain, who have just returned from Europe, were visitors to the post on April 23.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Higgins entertained at dinner April 25 for Miss Gloria Swanson, screen star, New York city; Mr. Forest Halsey, director of "Famous Players"; Mr. Britton, New York city; Col. and Mrs. Lawton; Miss West, secretary of Miss Swanson; Misses Gillespie of Brooklyn, Mr. and Mrs. Sweet, Lt. and Mrs. Powell and Maj. Farmer.

The Easter hop was held April 25 at the Officers' Club for 300 guests. In the receiving line were Col. and Mrs. Lawton, Col. and Mrs. Brown, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Higgins, and Miss Gloria Swanson, New York city.

## FORT HAMILTON

NEW YORK, APRIL 8.

Col. and Mrs. Kimmel gave a supper on April 4 complimentary to Miss Margaret Kimmel and Dr. Spillman, her fiancé. Maj. and Mrs. Hay entertained at a dinner before the hop on Friday for Col. and Mrs. Wagner, Maj. and Mrs. B. Ward, Watrous and White, Capt. and Mrs. Bratton.

Capt. and Mrs. Methven gave a dinner for Miss Fran Bourke, Miss Genevieve Griffith, Mr. Frank Dineen, Capt. J. R. Burney of Fort Slocum, and Lt. and Mrs. Wheatley on Friday.

At the hop on Friday night the post commander, Col. E. H. Wagner, presented the trophies to the winners in the handicap bowling tournament. Capt. T. R. Gibson won first place and Capt. T. G. Methven won second. The first prize was a bowling ball mounted on three pins, and a cup was given to the winner of second place.

Mrs. J. H. Lloyd and her daughter, Miss Marion Lloyd, are visiting Capt. and Mrs. J. P. Lloyd. Lt. and Mrs. Taylor and Miss Knowles of Fort Slocum were week-end guests on the post.

## PORTSMOUTH NAVY YARD

NEW HAMPSHIRE, APRIL 12.

Mrs. W. M. Hunt gave a dinner party of thirty covers on April 5. Mrs. D. L. Trautman entertained on April 3 in honor of Miss Judith Lee Dismukes. Five tables were devoted to auction bridge and two to mah jong.

The ladies' card club at the navy yard met on April 7, with Mrs. D. C. Laizure. Miss Judith Lee Dismukes (Vassar) and Douglas E. Dismukes, Jr. (St. Paul's), who have been passing the spring vacation with their parents, the Capt. and Mrs. Douglas E. Dismukes, at the commandant's quarters at the navy yard, left last Tuesday to resume their studies.



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## BILL PASSED BY HOUSE PROVIDING NON-COMS

War Department Asked for  
Action on It Three  
Years Ago

## N.G. BILL IS ALSO PASSED

WHEN the House on May 14 passed the bill (S. 2169) it authorized an increase in the upper grades of the non-commissioned officers of the Regular Army which were asked for by the War Department about three years ago. Immediately upon the reduction of the strength of the Army in June, 1921, it became apparent that the authorized percentages of non-commissioned officers would not be sufficient to carry out the training activities of the National Defense act. There was as urgent a need for additional non-commissioned officers above the needs of the tactical units of the Regular Army as there was for commissioned officers.

Bills containing this needed increase have passed the Senate twice. It had also been recommended favorably to the House by the Military Committee on two occasions. It will be recalled how, in the closing days of the last Congress, former Representative Stacord of Wisconsin, by very sharp and questionable parliamentary tactics, held up the bill for additional non-commissioned officers in the last three days of the session.

### STATUS OF THE BILL

Under the status of the bill now it will be impossible for any opposition to develop that will prevent this provision of the bill from becoming a law. The House committee amended the bill by adopting the percentage recommended by the War Department last Congress. The Senate passed the bill with the percentages recommended by the War Department this session. As the bill passed the Senate it provided that the one per cent. of the enlisted strength should be in the first grade, while the House reduced it to .79 per cent. The Senate percentage for the second grade is 2.17, while the House is 2.1. The Senate percentage is 2.99, while the House figure is 3.4. The Senate bill provided for 10.11, while the House bill provides for 9.2 for the fourth grade. Both bills provide 9.3 per cent. for the fifth grade and 25 per cent. for the sixth grade. Under the rules of the Senate and House, the conferees must adopt either of these percentages or a compromise between the two. The conferees are not authorized to strike the provisions out of the bill, even if they proposed to do so. The former Assistant Secretary of War in presenting the bill said that these provisions would provide for an increase of 1,987 non-commissioned officers in the three top grades.

### OMNIBUS N.G. BILL

Before taking up the bill for the amendment of the National Defense act the House passed the Omnibus National Guard bill (H.R. 8886) without any material amendment. This is the bill that was introduced in the House on April 25 and reported out in April 30. It amends Secs. 92, 109 of the National Defense act, Sec. 6 of the act of March, 1923, and sections of the Pay act of 1922.

Just after the passage of the bill for the amendment of the National Defense act the House adjourned. It is expected that the Military Committee will have another day on May 22. On its calendar the next bill is (H.R. 4820) for the

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## COAST ARTILLERY SCHOOL IS TO CELEBRATE ITS CENTENNIAL AT FORT MONROE NEXT WEEK

ON May 24, 1924, the centennial of the Coast Artillery School will be celebrated at Fort Monroe with appropriate ceremonies. Among the distinguished visitors who will make addresses are the Secretary of War and Gen. Pershing. Maj. Gen. F. W. Coe, Chief of Coast Artillery, and C. Bascom Slem, secretary to the President, will also be present at the celebration. The program will include reviews of the troops stationed at Monroe and artillery firings of 12-inch guns, 12-inch mortars, 155's, anti-aircraft guns, battery railway artillery, mine battery and machine guns.

In a letter written Sept. 27, 1776, by Col. Henry Knox to a Congressional committee, who was at the time visiting Army headquarters, the establishment of artillery schools was first suggested.

General Order No. 18, A.G.O., dated April 5, 1824, Washington, D.C., directed that eleven companies of Artillery should be stationed at Fortress Monroe, the whole to constitute a "corps for instruction," the companies to be detached from the several regiments. The staff of the school was placed under the command of one colonel, assisted by a lieutenant colonel, a major; one director and one assistant director of Artillery, one instructor and one assistant instructor of mathematics.

The school speedily became the favorite experimental ground, where tests were made of guns, carriages and other matériel before they were either discarded or issued to troops. It was the first school of its kind established and lead the way for the establishment of the higher tactical schools such as the Command and General Staff School at Fort Leavenworth and the Army War College, Washington, D.C., of to-day.

## ARMY APPROPRIATION BILL GOES THROUGH WITHOUT REDUCTION

WITHOUT any reduction in the appropriations for the military purposes below that which was reported to the Senate, the Army Appropriation bill (H.R. 7877) was adopted by the Senate on May 12. The bill was held up by an amendment proposed by Senator Pitman dealing with the railway rates on transcontinental lines, but there was no opposition to the Army provisions. On the floor of the Senate an amendment was proposed by Chairman Wadsworth and by Senator Warren, which placed appropriations for the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice on a basis which would prevent the raising of a point of order when these items come up in the House. It will be recalled that Representative Johnson of Kentucky raised a point of order which resulted in their being stricken out in the House.

A substitute for the House amendment affecting the Noce decision on longevity credit for Military Academy service was adopted on the floor of the Senate. It reads:

"Provided, that in computing for any purpose the length of service of any officer of the Army who was appointed to the United States Military Academy or the United States Naval Academy after Aug. 24, 1912, the time spent at either Academy shall not be counted."

A similar provision is in the Naval Appropriation bill, the language of both amendments being the same, excepting that one refers to the Naval Academy and the other to the Military Academy.

The Senate adopted the committee's amendment providing for the discharge of enlisted men who enter the Service without the consent of their parents.

The amendment provides:

That hereafter the Secretary of War shall discharge from the Army with the form of discharge certificate and the travel and other allowances to which his service, after enlistment, shall entitle him, any enlisted man under the age of twenty-one on the application of either of his parents or legal guardian if such enlisted man was enlisted without the written consent of one of his parents or his legal guardian.

The Senate proposes the following as a solution of the employment of retired officers by firms doing business with the Federal Government:

None of the money appropriated in this act shall be used to pay any officer on the retired list of the Army who for himself engages in the selling, contracting for the sale of, negotiating for the sale of, or furnishing to the Army or the War Department any supplies, materials, equipment, lands, buildings, plants, vessels, or munitions, or who is employed by any individual, partnership, corporation, or association regularly or frequently engaged in selling merchandise or material directly to the War Department or the Army, if such employment be as sales or contract agent for the purpose of selling, contracting for the sale of, negotiating for the sale of, or furnishing to the Army or the War Department any supplies, materials, equipment, lands, buildings, plants, vessels, or munitions.

Without even a record vote, the amount under the head of Quartermaster Corps was increased from \$16,400,000 to \$16,700,000. The Senate treated the increase in the appropriations for permanent construction in the same manner. Under the head of military posts, it increased the appropriation from \$428,332 to \$1,028,332. It provided \$500,000 for beginning construction of permanent buildings at Camp Lewis and \$100,000 for construction of permanent buildings at Camp Bragg, N.C. The appropriation for the preservation of Fort Niagara was increased from \$25,000 to \$50,000. For the installation and replacement of electric light and power plants at the seacoast fortifications of Hawaii, the appropriation is increased from \$11,000 to \$61,000. For the alteration of mobile artillery, the appropriation is increased from \$428,000 to \$600,000.

The increases for the Military Academy were approved by the Senate. They include increase from \$105,660 to \$135,000 for the service detachment, and from \$40,000 to \$51,413, Engineer Detachment. Increases reported from the committee under the Militia Bureau appropriations were approved by the Senate. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars was added to the appropriations for the care of material and animals and equipment, increasing this item from \$2,250,000 to \$2,500,000. There was an increase of \$15,000 for the transportation of animals. For arms, uniforms and equipment for field

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## AMENDMENTS TO BILL ON PROMOTION URGED

Navy Department Objects to  
Increasing Number of  
Staff Admirals

## FIVE CHANGES SUGGESTED

THE Navy Department at the suggestion of Representative Vinson, ranking Democrat of the Naval Affairs Committee, sent to the House Committee on May 15, a number of amendments to the bill (H.R. 4444) for the equalization of promotion between the staff and the line. The amendments are designed to meet the objections, not only from the committee, but officers on duty at the Navy Department to an increase in the number of admirals in the staff. With these amendments in it is expected that the House Committee will shortly report the equalization bill to the House.

The following is the Navy Department memorandum on the amendments that will be proposed by Mr. Vinson:

Page 2, line 2—Strike out the proviso following "Provided" and insert in lieu thereof the following proviso: "That nothing in this act shall be construed as authorizing or permitting the advancement of any officer of the Chaplains' Corps to a higher rank than that of captain, or any officer of the Dental Corps to a higher rank than that of lieutenant commander; (commander, and the rank of commander is hereby established in the grade of dental surgeon)"

Page 2, line 11—After the colon following the word "repealed" insert: "Provided further, That nothing in this act shall be construed as authorizing or permitting in the rank of rear admiral, exclusive of additional numbers, more than six officers of the Medical Corps, three officers of the Supply Corps, one officer of the Construction Corps, and one officer of the Civil Engineer Corps. Staff officers now on the active list whose date of rank as rear admiral is prior to July 15, 1917, are hereby designated as additional numbers in that rank."

Page 14, line 11—Change period to colon and add after the word "President": "Provided, That the number to be furnished such board by the Secretary of the Navy shall not exceed that number of officers which, if advanced to the rank of rear admiral in the corps concerned, would make the total number of officers on the active list in that rank and corps more than the maximum number prescribed for said rank and corps by Sec. 1 of this act."

Page 17, line 17—Strike out the words "under Sec. 20 of this act," and insert in lieu thereof the words "by a Selection Board," and add the following proviso: "Provided, That the number to be furnished such board by the Secretary of the Navy shall not exceed that number of officers which, if advanced to the rank of rear admiral in the corps concerned, would make the total number of officers on the active list in that rank and corps more than the maximum number prescribed for said rank and corps by Sec. 1 of this act."

Page 23—Strike out all of Sec. 22 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That any officer of the Navy who is now serving or who shall hereafter serve as chief of a bureau in the Navy Department, including the Judge Advocate General of the Navy, and who is hereafter placed on the retired list at any time after the termination of his appointment to such office, shall have on the retired list the rank and seventy-five per centum of the pay to which he was entitled under such appointment: Provided, That such officer was not below the rank of captain in the Navy at the time of his appointment aforesaid, and served not less than four years (three years) under said appointment."

## NEW AVIATION INSIGNIA

THE Navy Department has directed that when the present supply of insignia for naval aviators, aviation pilots and balloon pilots is exhausted, officers will be required to supply themselves with their own expense.



## NORFOLK NAVY YARD

VIRGINIA, APRIL 15.

Mrs. G. C. Dichman and two daughters, who have been guests of Mrs. W. F. B. Slaughter, Stoneleigh Court, for several weeks, leave early this week for San Diego, to join Lt. Comdr. Dichman, recently ordered there. Madame Camperio, of Milan, Italy, formerly Miss Eleanor Terry of Annapolis, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Tilton, Graydon avenue.

Mrs. Wilbert Smith entertained Friday at a bridge tea at the Naval Base in honor of her sister, Mrs. N. O. Sampson of New York, who is her guest.

Capt. and Mrs. Wilbert Smith entertained their bridge club Tuesday evening. Mrs. Edwin G. Kintner and daughter, Miss Susan Kintner of Philadelphia, arrived last week to be guests of Mrs. Kintner's mother, Mrs. Susan Grace, Virginia Beach. Lt. and Mrs. R. R. Yates left last Thursday for Schenectady, N.Y., in response to a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Yates's father, Rev. B. W. R. Taylor, rector of St. George's Episcopal Church.

Mrs. C. F. M. Spotswood Quinby has arrived to be the guest of Capt. and Mrs. John G. Quinby, where she will be joined this week by Lt. Quinby, who has been assigned to temporary duty at Annapolis in connection with the Olympic games. Mrs. C. B. Arney, wife of Lt. Arney, has left for a visit to relatives in Washington and Philadelphia.

Lt. and Mrs. W. B. Lobaugh have arrived after a six weeks' stay in New York, Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis, and after ten days Lt. Lobaugh will join the U.S.S. Kittery on a West Indies cruise. They will make their home in Norfolk for the next three years. Mrs. Frederick A. Johnson and children left Friday to join Lt. Johnson at Pensacola.

Mrs. H. G. Bowerford will leave to-day to spend some time in New York. Mr. Henry Worthington of Philadelphia has arrived to attend the marriage of his daughter, Miss Margaret Worthington, and Ens. Malcolm M. Gossett. Mrs. Frederick Elder and little son, who have recently returned from the West coast, are guests of Mrs. Elder's mother, Mrs. James Tait, Virginia Beach, and will leave in the near future to join Lt. Comdr. Elder at Annapolis.

The captain and officers of the U.S.S. Texas entertained Saturday at an informal tea dance for officers and their wives on this station and a number of the younger set of Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Mrs. Philip LeRoy Haynes, who has been visiting in Craigsville, Va., has returned to her home, Boissevain Apt. Comdr. and Mrs. Fairfax Leary and little son have arrived from Annapolis and are spending some time at Mrs. F. H. Whitehurst's. Comdr. Leary is attached to the U.S.S. New York, now at the yard. Mrs. William N. Hughes entertained recently at a four-table bridge party. Lt. and Mrs. N. S. Betts entertained recently at a bridge party for Capt. and Mrs. J. A. McDonald, Lt. and Mrs. P. N. Pugley, Miss Louise Callender and Lt. J. A. Turrentine.

Mrs. Robert Wittman of Texas has been a recent guest of Col. and Mrs. Randolph C. Berkeley, Marine Barracks. Mrs. J. A. McDonald entertained Friday afternoon at her home, navy yard, at a bridge party for Mrs. Lewis M. Nuttman of Texas.

The weekly dinner given at the Navy Yard Officers' Golf Club Thursday was largely attended. Mrs. Adrian D. Alfred was hostess.

Capt. and Mrs. L. F. Pape entertained Tuesday evening of last week at a dance at the Army Supply Base. Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. R. P. P. Maclewski entertained at a birthday party for their little daughter, Dallas Lee, at the Naval Base Saturday. The little guests numbered twenty-five.

Recent arrivals at Hotel Heart O'Ghent include Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Scott D. McCaughey, Capt. and Mrs. Frederick Israel, Lts. and Mmes. J. S. MacKennon, M. V. Yandle and H. H. McLean. The officers are attached to the U.S.S. New York and Texas.

Mrs. Charles Pickett and little son of Fairfax, Va., are guests of Mrs. Pickett's mother, Mrs. Beverly Cobb, Portsmouth.

## AMERICAN FORCES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN, MARCH 24.

Col. and Mrs. Albert B. Sloan gave a dinner followed by bridge and mah jong on March 13. Capt. and Mrs. Paul Steele entertained Col. and Mrs. Barnes, Maj. and Mrs. Gullion and Capt. and Mrs. Tuttle at the tea dance at the Astor House Hotel on March 9.

Lt. and Mrs. Donald Brann's guests for dinner and mah jong on March 12 were Maj. and Mmes. Cline and Gullion, Miss Cline and Lt. Snodgrass. Lt. James Notestein, who recently completed a three-year tour in the islands, has been the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Harvey for a few days. After a fortnight in Peking he will sail on the Thomas from Chinwangtao on March 31.

Maj. and Mrs. Walter Gullion entertained at dinner on March 14 for Lts. and Mmes. Golightly and Lystad, Miss Cline and Lt. Snodgrass. Capt. and Mrs. Steele entertained at dinner on March 14 for Gen. and Mrs. W. D. Connor, Maj. and Mrs. Cline, Capt. Gerhardt and Dessez. Maj. and Mrs. McCunniff entertained at dinner on March 15 for Maj. and Mrs. Gullion and Capt. and Mmes. Tuttle and Steele.

The bachelor officers of No. 18 entertained at dinner and mah jong on March 11 for Maj. and Mrs. Cline, Capt. and Mmes. McChrystal and Jones, and Miss Cline. Lt. and Mrs. Stewart entertained at dinner and mah jong on March 11. Capt. and Mrs. John C. Newton entertained March 11 at dinner and mah jong.

A mah jong party was given by Mrs. Camp-

bell King on March 17 for sixteen guests. Mrs. King again entertained at mah jong on March 18. Capt. and Mrs. A. J. McChrystal were hosts March 17 at a buffet supper in commemoration of their sixth wedding anniversary. Lt. and Mrs. Donald Brann entertained at dinner and mah jong on March 17 for Col. and Mrs. King, Maj. and Mrs. McCunniff, Capt. and Mmes. Cushman and Cronkite.

Brig. Gen. W. D. Connor presided at the annual dinner dance of the American Association at the Astor House on March 21.

Lt. Col. James R. Pourie, who has been quite ill with influenza, has been granted sick leave for two months. With Mrs. Pourie, he will visit points of interest in North and South China. Lt. Col. and Mrs. Albert B. Sloan will leave for the States on the March 31 transport from Chinwangtao, due to the condition of Mrs. Sloan's health.

Capt. and Mrs. Dabney entertained at dinner and mah jong March 18 for Col. and Mrs. King, Maj. and Mrs. Cline and Capt. and Mrs. Tuttle. Lts. and Mmes. Lehr and Gallagher gave a tea for the cast of "Goofus Feathers" on March 16 in celebration of the performance in Peking, which was enthusiastically received.

Col. and Mrs. Campbell King entertained at dinner on March 22 for Gen. and Mrs. Connor and Mrs. Van Vleet, the acting Consul Gen. and Mrs. J. C. Huston, the Commissioner of Native Customs and Madame Guernier and Capt. John D. Miley. Lt. and Mrs. Stuart's guests for dinner on March 20 were Maj. and Mmes. Cline and Gullion, Capt. and Mrs. Dabney and Lt. and Mrs. Boyles.

## SAN DIEGO and NEARBY BASES

CALIFORNIA, APRIL 17.

Mrs. James McE. Huey, wife of Lt. Col. Huey, U.S.M.C., is spending a few days in Los Angeles prior to departure of the family for San Francisco. Col. Huey's new station, Maj. and Mrs. H. H. Arnold were hosts at a buffet supper and bridge party at Rockwell Field Monday in honor of Capt. and Mrs. W. M. Randolph, who sail this week for Panama for Capt. Randolph's new station.

Capt. and Mrs. R. G. Ervin entertained Saturday with a dinner party at Rockwell Field in honor of Brig. Gen. H. D. Todd, Jr., and Mrs. Todd. After dinner the hosts and their guests attended the polo dance at Hotel del Coronado.

Bridge teas were given in Coronado by Mrs. E. R. Morrissey on Thursday, and Mrs. H. R. Bogusch on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. T. Mallison, wife of Comdr. Mallison, has returned from Nashville, Tenn., where she spent the winter, and is again at her home in Coronado. Capt. T. J. Molinari, U.S.A., retired, has been elected secretary of the San Diego County Federation of State Societies. He is president of the New Mexico State Society here.

Capt. and Mrs. LeRoy N. Taylor entertained with a dinner party at Hotel del Coronado Monday in honor of Comdr. and Mrs. Wallace L. Lind. Covers were laid for eight. Rear Adm. and Mrs. Sumner E. W. Kittelle and their two young daughters left Tuesday for New Orleans, to which station Adm. Kittelle has been transferred for duty. Miss Mary Kittelle, another daughter, is remaining in Coronado for a time as guest of her sister, Mrs. C. J. Moore, wife of Lt. Comdr. Moore. A son of Adm. and Mrs. Kittelle, Sumner, is still confined to a hospital in Coronado, recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

## FIELD ARTILLERY SCHOOL

FORT SILL, OKLA., APRIL 28.

There were many dinner parties before the dance on Saturday. Maj. and Mrs. P. L. Thurber entertained at the club, celebrating Mrs. Thurber's birthday anniversary. Present: Col. and Mrs. Herron, Maj. and Mmes. Guber, Paddock, Lamphier, Capt. and Mmes. Hibbs, Nash, Spence, Ballard, Ratay, Maj. and Mmes. Cain, Talbot, Col. Corey, Maj. and Mmes. Peck and Eager.

Covers were laid for fourteen at the dinner given Saturday at the Officers' Club by Capt. W. P. Blodsoe for Miss Merrie, who is visiting Capt. and Mrs. Busch.

Maj. N. Horowitz entertained Thursday at the club with dinner for Capt. and Mrs. Ballard, Lts. and Mmes. Donaldson and Gaston. Col. R. Smith was dinner host Saturday at the Officers' Club to Col. and Mrs. Whaley, Capt. and Mrs. Rhodes, Capt. and Mrs. Dasher and Capt. and Mrs. Adams.

Maj. and Mrs. I. T. Wyche gave a birthday anniversary party for their sister, Miss Betty Dunn, on Saturday. Mrs. F. G. Chaddock had nine tables of bridge at the Officers' Club on Tuesday, followed by a tea.

Mrs. A. M. Whaley entertained the Fort Sill Literary Club on Monday with a social evening. Mrs. D. F. Craig was chairman of the committee, and sketches of household articles were given by the individual members.

Maj. and Mrs. R. E. Lewis celebrated their thirtieth anniversary on Saturday with a hop supper. The guests were Col. and Mrs. Austin, Maj. and Mmes. Malony, Sharp, Downs, J. E. Lewis, Benkema, Boles, Starkey, Peyton, Burr, Capt. and Mmes. Allen, R. C. Moore, Lts. and Mmes. Gaston, Waters, Elwood, Lts. McCannoughy, Hester and Crehan.

Mrs. W. F. Jones had two tables of bridge on Friday for her daughter, Mrs. Elwood. Mrs.

D. F. Craig gave a tea on Wednesday for Mrs. Morris, wife of the Episcopal minister. There were about seventy-five guests. Mrs. O. Ward entertained with a tea on Wednesday.

Lt. Crehan entertained at dinner at the Officers' Club on Thursday for Capt. and Mmes. Allen, J. C. Adams, Lt. and Mrs. Mallonee, Maj. Lanavere, Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Adams entertained at bridge and supper on Sunday. Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Allen had a Sunday breakfast after a morning's gallop. Those present were Lt. and Mrs. Brenizer, Maj. Lanavere, Lts. Crehan, Clearwater and Graves.

## WASHINGTON BARRACKS

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, APRIL 19.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Stuart Heintzelman entertained twenty-five guests at their table at the dinner dance at the club of the Army War College. Gen. and Mrs. John L. Hines were the honor guests. Other guests were Gen. and Mmes. R. P. Davis, M. W. Ireland, A. C. Dalton, Col. and Mmes. L. D. Gasser, J. B. Allison, Col. S. H. Ford, Mrs. Malin Craig, Col. Duncan Major, Col. and Mrs. John W. Gulick, Lt. and Mrs. L. J. Maitland.

Col. Thomas A. Roberts, Mrs. Roberts and their daughter, Miss Loyal Roberts, have moved into quarters No. 3, recently vacated by Col. and Mrs. Ewing E. Booth.

Col. and Mrs. Samuel C. Vestal had a dinner guests at their quarters Mrs. Groesbeck and her sister, Miss Sarah Ide of Lansingburg, N.Y. Col. and Mrs. Joseph A. Baer are entertaining as their house guest Mrs. Edwin W. Shields of Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Yates Stirling, 3d, U.S.N.A., has been spending his Easter liberty with his uncle and aunt, Col. and Mrs. Charles E. Kilbourne. Capt. Rohsenberger has been summoned to his home on account of illness in his family. Miss Emily Warring of New York, who has been a house guest of Col. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Simonds, has returned to her home.

Mr. James Witherell, son of Maj. and Mrs. Witherell of Camp Holabird, Md., is spending the Easter holidays as a house guest of Mr. William Vestal at Col. and Mrs. S. C. Vestal's. Lt. Harry L. Calvin has returned to his station on this post after a visit to his home in Missouri.

## NOTES FROM THE PHILIPPINES

MANILA, P.I., MARCH 10.

Rear Adm. and Mrs. Marvell were much entertained before leaving their post at Cavite Navy Yard for their new station on the Pacific coast. Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Reed, U.S.A., gave a large dinner in their honor; also the commander-in-chief of the Asiatic Fleet, Adm. Washington, and Mrs. Washington. Mrs. Marvell was successful in selling many of the water color sketches she made of the islands before leaving.

Governor Gen. and Mrs. Leonard Wood gave a dinner recently in honor of their house guest, Sir Reginald Stubbs, British Governor of Hong Kong, and Lady Stubbs; also Ambassador and Mrs. Cyrus Woods of Tokio, who were returning from the States. Many Army and Navy guests were present, including Maj. and Mrs. Reddington, Comdr. and Mmes. Abbot, Glassford, Beach and Lee.

A recent big dinner party was comprised of Comdr. and Mrs. Abbott, Comdr. and Mrs. Parker, Col. Langhorne, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Reed, Miss Margaret Reed, Gen. and Mrs. McCoy and Miss Sue McDonald.

## CAMP LEWIS

WASHINGTON, APRIL 23.

Col. George G. Gately, commanding the 10th Field Artillery, was host at a dinner at De Koven Inn, American Lake, on April 13. His guests included Maj. and Mmes. F. W. Honeycutt and Downer, Capt. and Mmes. W. C. Green, A. W. Shutter and W. E. Corkill, Lts. and Mmes. George Woolley and S. F. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Wulzen and Mrs. Clyde F. Rex.

Lt. and Mrs. A. L. Benedict, who left April 19 to sail for the Philippines, have been honored guests at several parties. Col. and Mrs. J. D. Leitch and Lt. Col. and Mrs. F. P. Holcomb entertained at the latter's quarters April 12. Earlier in the week Maj. and Mrs. Ward were hosts at a dinner for Lt. and Mrs. Benedict.

A pretty afternoon affair was that given by Mrs. E. N. Johnston complimenting Mrs. Benedict and her aunt, Mrs. Morrison, who will go to the Philippines with the Benedicts. Bridge and mah jong were played, several other guests going in for tea.

Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Corkill have returned from a four months' leave, spent in traveling around the world. Mrs. George S. Denderick has returned to camp after spending five months at her home in Montgomery, Ala. Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Shutter have as their house guest Mrs. Shutter's sister, Mrs. Clyde F. Rex of Sacramento.

To honor Capt. M. J. Marshall, who has just received promotion, a dinner was given April 23 at the quarters of Capt. and Mrs. Von Deeston. Mrs. J. B. La Guardia was hostess with Mrs. Von Deeston, and entertained officers of the 6th Engineers and their wives. Lt. and Mrs. Orville W. Martin have as their house guest Mrs. Rush Martin of Oshkosh, Wis.

## GOVERNORS ISLAND

NEW YORK, APRIL 30.

Maj. and Mrs. Alan Gullion have their daughter Ruth with them for the Easter holidays. They are also entertaining Misses Betty Lockwood and Atha Carter of Eaton Hall, Torrence, Pa. On April 21 they gave a tea-dance for fifty guests in compliment to Misses Carter and Lockwood.

Miss Adelaide Ames, who has been the guest of her parents, Col. and Mrs. Ames, for the Easter holidays, has returned to Cambridge, Mass., where she is doing research work in astronomy at Harvard University.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Davis gave a buffet supper before the Easter hop. Their guests included Maj. and Mrs. White, Capt. and Mrs. Bratton, Maj. McClure, Maj. and Mrs. Kramer, Miss Claudia Read of Washington is the guest of Miss Conrad.

Col. and Mrs. Price entertained at dinner for Gen. Bullard, Maj. and Mrs. Holmes, Maj. Auer, Mrs. Auer, Col. Norman of New York city, and Mr. Lee Bullard. Col. and Mrs. Gerhardt are entertaining Mrs. Oldham of Baltimore.

Col. and Mrs. Conrad spent Easter Sunday with their son, Dean Conrad, at West Point.

Capt. and Mrs. Eccles have as their guest Capt. Dodson of Fort Niagara. Miss Jena Conrad entertained forty guests at a dinner before the Easter hop. Miss Cora Thayer gave a dinner for fifteen on April 25.

The Tuesday Bridge Club gave a bridge party for members and their guests on April 22. Mrs. Rose has returned from a visit to Washington. Lt. Col. and Mrs. Higgins are entertaining Mrs. Higgins's niece, Miss Gillespie of Brooklyn, Maj. and Mrs. Wara gave a dinner on April 25 for twenty-five guests. Capt. and Mrs. Le Gette entertained at dinner on April 25 for Col. and Mrs. Winterton of East Orange, Mrs. Navas, Miss Hurt, Mrs. Walter of Orlando, Fla., Capt. and Mrs. Berthoff, Lt. and Mrs. Owenshine, Capt. Penrose.

Before the Easter hop on April 25 Col. and Mrs. Jackson gave a dinner for Gen. Weigel, Mrs. Pinney, Col. and Mrs. Stephenson, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Taylor, Maj. and Mmes. Eby, Holmes and Gullion, Lt. and Mrs. Viles, Capt. Stokes and Maj. Rhineland.

Mrs. Julius Conrad left for Washington April 28 for a brief visit. Mrs. Kiefer was the guest of Miss Gilmer for luncheon and golf at the Westchester-Biltmore Club at Rye, N.Y., on April 21.

Maj. and Mrs. Bailey entertained at dinner April 25 for the following: Col. and Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Crystal, Miss Jane Dixon, Maj. and Mrs. Hensley, Capt. Wells, Mr. McDonald and Lt. Karlson. Col. and Mrs. Haskell gave a dinner before the Easter hop for six. Miss Frances Waggoner of Washington, D.C., has been the guest of Miss Mary Haskell. Maj. and Mrs. Harry Chamberlain, who have just returned from Europe, were visitors to the post on April 23.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Higgins entertained at dinner April 25 for Miss Gloria Swanson, screen star, New York city; Mr. Forest Halsey, director of "Famous Players"; Mr. Britton, New York city; Col. and Mrs. Lawton; Miss West, secretary of Miss Swanson; Misses Gillespie of Brooklyn, Mr. and Mrs. Sweet, Lt. and Mrs. Powell and Maj. Farmer.

The Easter hop was held April 25 at the Officers' Club for 300 guests. In the receiving line were Col. and Mrs. Lawton, Col. and Mrs. Brown, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Higgins, and Miss Gloria Swanson, New York city.

## FORT HAMILTON

NEW YORK, APRIL 8.

Col. and Mrs. Kimmel gave a supper on April 4 complimentary to Miss Margaret Kimmel and Dr. Spillman, her fiancé. Maj. and Mrs. Hay entertained at a dinner before the hop on Friday for Col. and Mrs. Wagner, Maj. and Mmes. B. Ward, Watrous and White, Capt. and Mrs. Bratton.

Capt. and Mrs. Methven gave a dinner for Miss Fan Bourke, Miss Genevieve Griffith, Mr. Frank Dineen, Capt. J. R. Burney of Fort Slocum, and Lt. and Mrs. Wheatley on Friday.

At the hop on Friday night the post commander, Col. E. H. Wagner, presented the trophies to the winners in the handicap bowling tournament. Capt. T. R. Gibson won first place and Capt. T. G. Methven won second. The first prize was a bowling ball mounted on three pins, and a cup was given to the winner of second place.

Mrs. J. H. Lloyd and her daughter, Miss Marion Lloyd, are visiting Capt. and Mrs. J. P. Lloyd. Lt. and Mrs. Taylor and Miss Knowles of Fort Slocum were week-end guests on the post.

## PORTSMOUTH NAVY YARD

NEW HAMPSHIRE, APRIL 12.

Mrs. W. M. Hunt gave a dinner party of thirty covers on April 5. Mrs. D. L. Trautman entertained on April 3 in honor of Miss Judith Lee Dismukes. Five tables were devoted to auction bridge and two to mah jong.

The ladies' card club at the navy yard met on April 7, with Mrs. D. C. Laine. Miss Judith Lee Dismukes (Vassar) and Douglas E. Dismukes, Jr. (St. Paul), who have been passing the spring vacation with their parents, Capt. and Mrs. Douglas E. Dismukes, at the commandant's quarters at the navy yard, left last Tuesday to resume their studies.